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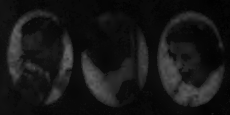

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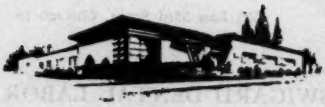

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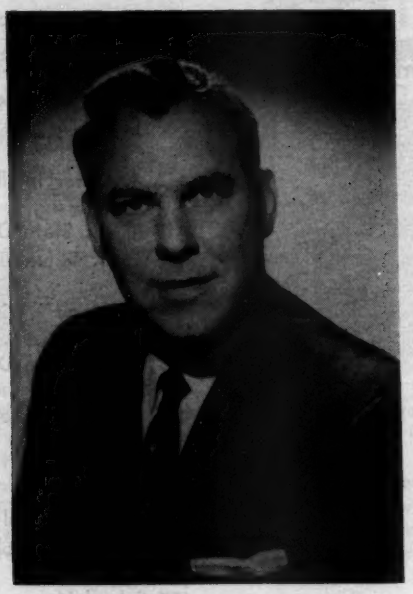

Dr. Charles H. Schelhas was graduated from the Northwestern University School of Dentistry in 1946. He is a member of Delta Sigma Delta and Omicron Kappa Upsilon fraternities.

Dr. Schelhas served in the army, navy, and marine corps during World War II. Since that time he has been with the naval reserve. Formerly, Dr. Schelhas limited his practice to prosthodontia, but for the past twelve years he has practiced general dentistry in Highland Park.

He is a past president of the Lake County Dental Society as well as the Highland Park Lions Club. Currently, he is president of the Highland Park Chamber of Commerce. He will serve as general chairman of the 1962 Mid-Winter meeting of the Chicago Dental Society.

Dr. Schelhas and his wife, Mary, have four children. dren.

He was elected councilman at the 1961 Illinois State Dental Society meeting.

PRESIDENT'S PAGE

by Phillip J. Kartheiser, D.D.S.

The 1961 session of the Illinois General Assembly has ended. It was a hectic session but through hard and vigorous work and the untiring efforts of many men the Illinois State Dental Society was successful in its aim to protect the dental health of the people of Illinois.

The officers and members of the Illinois State Dental Society are indebted to these men for the success we had in the Legislature this year. Among those who gave their valuable assistance were: Dr. Leonard Esper, chairman of the Public Policy Committee; Dr. Paul W. Clopper, Dr. James Donelan, Mr. Edgar Stephens, our program director; Mr. John A. Porter, and Mr. Hugh Dobbs.

We are also very grateful to Dr. William Osmanski, Dr. Andrew Jordan, Dr. Robert Tuck, and Mr. Barry McNulty and Mr. Carl Saladino of the Illinois Dental Laboratory Association for their splendid and effective work before the License and Miscellany Committee of the House.

Many thanks to each contact man who did such good work keeping his Senator and Representative informed. The contact man is a strong factor in good public relations with our legislators. Thanks again for your splendid help.

Following is a brief summary of what transpired in the Legislature:

1. Six Denturists or "Oral Prosthetists" Bills were defeated in Committee; four were defeated in the House and two in the Senate. The Senate Bills never reached a hearing stage in Committee and were killed June 26th by a unanimous vote of the Senate adopting a resolution which tabled all Senate Bills which were still in Committee at that time.

2. Senate Bill 685 to renew the Medical Practice Act Commission died in the Senate without coming to a vote. This action will have a far-reaching beneficial effect in the future.

3. House Bill 721 which provided for the formation of Dental Service Corporations was passed by the House but defeated in the Senate. Last minute efforts to make extensive amendments indicated the need for

further work before reoffering this type of legislation at a later date.

4. In addition to defeating all bills which would have been detrimental to public dental health and to the dental profession, five of the seven bills sponsored by Representative Marion Burks and others, at our request, passed both the House and Senate. The two defeated bills can be reconsidered at a later date.

Dr. Leonard Esper, chairman of the Public Policy Committee, will submit a complete report of the legislative activities in a future issue of the ILLINOIS DENTAL JOURNAL.

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A Letter to Illinois Dentists

On February 20th the Prairie Valley Dental Society held a dinner conference with our local school administrators. The results were much better than we had expected. Our relationship with our local schools are better than they have ever been in the past. We worked out some of our problems and they now know that we want to work closely with them in dental health education. We hope to have such a meeting each year.

On August 23rd Prairie Valley will be host to one of the three 1961 state-wide dental health conferences. This conference will be devoted to improving the dental knowledge of school personnel. We will aim to show teachers how to obtain and use all the teaching aids available from the dental profession.

We would like to invite you to the conference. We urge you to bring teachers from your town. The results will be very rewarding. You'll have a wonderful day at the beautiful air-conditioned student center of Western Illinois University in Macomb. We can assure you that you will consider this conference one of the most worthwhile days you have ever spent in the furthering of your practice and your profession. You will take home some enthusiastic teachers and next year you can expect the children in your local schools to get dental education that would take your hours in your office.

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MINUTES • 97th Annual Meeting

General Session • May 9, 1961

The opening general session was called to order by President Phillip J. Kartheiser at 11:15 a.m. The invocation was offered by Reverend Joseph A. Graves of Peoria.

Motion carried that the program as printed be made the official order of business of the 97th Annual Meeting of the Illinois State Dental Society.

The Honorable Robert G. Day, Mayor of Peoria, extended a welcome on behalf of the City of Peoria.

Vice-President Hogan assumed the chair to introduce President Kartheiser. The President reported committee activities, and legislative and law enforcement progress for the first four months of 1961. He then introduced Dr. Robert J. Wells, trustee of the American Dental Association 8th District.

Dr. Wells reported the necessity of increased activity toward the recruitment of dental students and the proper distribution of dentists for adequate dental care of the public.

President Kartheiser introduced Dr. Charles H. Patton, president of the American Dental Association. Dr. Patton brought greetings from the officers and Board of Trustees of the American Dental Association and congratulations to the Illinois State Dental Society for its stand against the illegal practice of dentistry. He also spoke of the continuing growth of the profession and the responsibility of each member toward implementing new studies and methods in dentistry. He concluded his report with a brief review of national legislation pending in regard to dental care and education.

The assembly then stood in a moment of prayer in memory of deceased members of the Society.

The meeting adjourned at 12:10 p.m.

PAUL W. CLOPPER, *Secretary*

President's Address • May 9, 1961

It is a great privilege as your president to welcome you to the 97th Annual Meeting of the Illinois State Dental Society. It is an honor for me to stand before you, as the presiding officer of this meeting, filled with assurance and confidence that the cooperation given the officers and members of the Executive Council for the past four months will continue throughout the remainder of the year and for the years to come under the guidance of others who will succeed us in our various offices. This is your meeting; it is planned around the interests and hobbies which you enjoy. I sincerely hope you are making use of the program planned in your behalf.

The following paragraphs will contain a resume of the work being done by the various committees, all of which is being carried on in the interest of good service and the advancement of the dental profession.

The Fifth Annual Component Officers and Editors Conference, held the second week in April, was well attended and enthusiastically received. The purpose of these conferences is to assist the component officers and editors with their problems. These meetings are proving to be of greater interest each year, and I feel that future conferences will become larger and better as they are a means of bringing the components in closer harmony with the parent organization.

This is a legislative year, and we find the Public Policy Committee is an active group in the Illinois Legislature now in session. An Enabling Act was introduced by Representative E. E. Dale, D.D.S., on April 6, 1961, known as House Bill 721. The bill provides for the incorporation and regulation of Dental Service Plans Corporations and also provides systems to render dental services to subscribers. A Committee hearing before the House members of the Insurance Committee was held May 2, 1961. I am happy to report that our Bill, House Bill 721, was recommended by the committee "do pass."

The following House Bills were introduced on Wednesday, May 3, 1961:

House Bill 1227 repeals provision requiring dentists to register their license with the county clerk.

House Bill 1228 increases compensation of members of the state dental examining committee from $10 per day to $50 per day.

House Bill 1229 requires that dentists display their name on the premises where they practice and provides that wherever the word "dentist" is in the public view the dentist's name shall also appear.

House Bill 1230 authorizes the revocation of a dentist's license if license in another state has been revoked on a ground equivalent to a ground for revocation in this state.

House Bill 1231 authorizes dentists to employ dental hygienist to remove stains from all teeth surfaces, not merely exposed surfaces.

House Bill 1232 provides for increased penalties for one convicted of practicing dentistry without a license more than once.

House Bill 1233 provides that in action to enjoin the practice of dentistry without a license the court may apportion the costs, including attorneys fees among the parties.

These bills have all been referred to the License and Miscellany Committee.

Our Joint Commission on Legislation and Law Enforcement has been working diligently on matters pertaining to their concern. With the assistance of Mr. Edgar T. Stephens, our program director; Mr. John Porter, general counsel; and Mr. Hugh Dobbs, our associate counsel who watches legislation in Springfield, this committee is functioning well and has shown good results for its efforts. Law enforcement, as is known, is a costly procedure. As a result we are again requesting action from the membership for a ten dollar per member assessment. This request will be made at the business meeting Wednesday afternoon.

Much law enforcement activity was carried out by this committee during 1960 and up to the present time. Investigations were carried on in Princeton, Joliet, Pekin, Calumet City, Harvey, Blue Island, Freeport, Decatur, and Chicago. Some thirty-five laboratories were involved.

The 1959 amendment restricting classified listing of dental laboratories was declared constitutional by the Illinois Supreme Court and the United States Supreme Court refused to review the decisions of the Illinois court since no federal question was involved. Classified sections of Illinois telephone directories are nearly one-hundred per cent in compliance with the 1959 amendment both in regard to laboratories and dentists.

There were thirteen license revocation cases filed in 1960, and during the same year there were eleven injunction cases. There were also license revocation cases filed in January and February of this year. During 1961, injunction action was taken against: Thomas P. Duncan, Chicago, December 22, 1960 (costs of case paid by Duncan in February, 1961); Al De Julius, Chicago, March 8, 1961; Gene McCabe, Pekin, March 8, 1961; Elsworth Dansby, Decatur, February 15, 1961; H. C. Cordak, Chicago, April 5, 1961; Maxwell E. Potts, Calumet City, appeal now before United States Court of Appeals and briefs are being prepared. Mr. Potts has returned to Indiana and is being investigated by the Indiana Society for whom we provided the names of customer witnesses.

Criminal Cases

On March 15, 1961, C. E. McElwee, dental technician of West Frankfort was found guilty of violating the Dental Practice Act on eighteen counts. He was fined one-thousand dollars and placed on probation for one year. In addition, he has been arrested again for extracting teeth. He also has been indicted by the Grand Jury for attempting to bribe a witness in our case.

At our January meeting the Executive Council recommended that a committee be appointed by the President to study the activation and expansion of the scope of activities of the Council on Dental Health, particularly as it is related to the recommendations of the 1960 White House Conference on Children and Youth. This committee was appointed and preliminary discussions have been held by the members of the committee. Reports concerning the activities and advancement will be made periodically. The objectives of the committee are: (1) To improve the dental health of the people of Illinois. (2) To improve the dental health education of all children in the state. (3) To provide services to the component societies which will bolster their dental health committees by continuous guidance and aid in the establishment and maintenance of effective dental health education programs. (4) To provide a closer liaison between the component societies and the Illinois State Dental Society.

This year the Council on Dental Health is expanding its annual conferences to three separate meetings—one to be held in the southern area at Carbondale, one in the central section at Macomb and a third in the northern area, possibly at DeKalb. This committee is one of importance to dentistry and should be given good support by the membership as it will aid the component society in its aims and purposes.

The Group Dental Health Care Plan Committee has been studying and formulating ideas relative to this problem. With the great economic and social changes occurring these days, more people will be asking and demanding dental care. If our bill in the legislature now is passed, it will give us something to present to the various organizations in our state who would ask that dental care be included in their plans.

The Prosthetic Dental Service Committee has been doing excellent work in maintaining friendly relations with the laboratory craft. The laboratory industry is an important part of the modern practice of dentistry. Good reports have been received from the laboratory operators indicating that the work order sheets are proving valuable and satisfactory. I wish to thank the membership for co-operating in this function. I know it will be an important factor in eliminating illegal operations.

Another important and active committee of the State Society is the Study Club Committee. In the areas where meetings are held fine programs have been presented and the excellent cooperation of the host component is much appreciated.

I am proud of the excellent program and arrangements prepared for this meeting. Both are the results of hard work and great effort on the part of the local arrangements chairman, Dr. William Curtis, and his committee as well as Dr. Arthur L. Roberts, program chairman; and Dr. Howard E. Gillette, clinic chairman; and their respective committees. These men have been working for months to organize and arrange interesting and informative scientific programs.

At this time may I express my deep appreciation for the honor you have bestowed upon me as President and Chief Executive Officer of the Illinois State Dental Society for 1961. Your loyalty to me and the excellent committee activity of the members have been most gratifying. May your attendance at this convention be pleasant and profitable and your stay in Peoria beneficial, both educationally and socially. I thank you.

PHILLIP J. KARTHEISER

Trustee's Address • May 9, 1961

Dr. Robert J. Wells, trustee for the 8th American Dental Association District (Illinois) spoke on "Recruitment and Distribution of Adequate Dental Care." A synopsis of this paper will be published in a later issue of the JOURNAL.

A.D.A. President's Address • May 9, 1961

Dr. Charles H. Patton, president of the American Dental Association spoke on "A Future to Match Our Past." This paper will be published in the September 1961 issue of the JOURNAL.

Business Session • May 10, 1961

The meeting convened at 4:00 p.m. on May 10, 1961, in the Ball Room of the Pere Marquette Hotel, Peoria, Illinois.

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: We will call the 97th Annual Meeting of the Illinois State Dental Society to order. If anyone wishes to speak, please stand in the front of the room and speak very distinctly into the microphone so that the court reporter will hear.

We will start out with the Secretary reading the minutes of the First General Session.

(The Secretary reads the minutes of the First General Session, page 419.)

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: Thank you, Dr. Clopper.

At this time we will have a report from the Resolutions Committee. There is one resolution on the agenda and Dr. Danforth, chairman of the Resolutions Committee, will take over at this time.

HARRY D. DANFORTH: The resolution pertains to the special assessment. This has been an annual assessment for several years.

Assessment Resolution

WHEREAS, the expenses for the year 1961 are anticipated to be substantially the same as 1960 due to the continued action of the Joint Commission on Legislation and Law Enforcement, and

WHEREAS, financial assistance from the Department of Registration and Education has not been increased, and

WHEREAS, attorney fees for prosecution and the expenses for investigation and witnesses are still costly, and

WHEREAS, much progress has been made, still your Executive Council sees no foreseeable end to this problem of illegal laboratories and technicians, and

WHEREAS, the monies left in the Special Legislative and Law Enforcement Fund will not be sufficient for the year 1962,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that each active member of the Illinois State Dental Society be assessed Ten Dollars ($10.00) for the year 1962.

Signed by the Resolutions Committee, Harry Danforth, Neil Kingston, and Dan W. Hogan.

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: I am sorry, may we go back to the Minutes of the First General Session. I forgot to get an approval. Will someone move for approval of these minutes?

CARL J. MADDA: I move the minutes be adopted as read.

HARRY CHRONQUIST: Second the motion.

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: Moved by Dr. Carl Madda and seconded by Dr. Harry Chronquist to approve the minutes of the First General Session as read by Dr. Clopper. All in favor of the motion say "aye." Opposed? Motion carried.

Now, we will go back to the report of the Resolutions Committee.

You have heard the report of the Chairman of the Resolutions Committee. I think before we vote on that, I will ask if there is any discussion or if anyone has anything they might want to offer as far as the report is concerned.

(No response.)

ROBERT POLLOCK: I move for the adoption of this resolution.

C. F. ISENBERGER: Second the motion.

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: It is moved and seconded that the Resolution to assess each active member an additional $10.00 for the year 1962 be adopted.

Now, is there any discussion on the motion? Dr. Sitron?

HAROLD SITRON: Mr. President and Harry Danforth, I just question the wording that was used when you referred to the cost of the prosecution of these unethical laboratories. I think it would be much better to change the wording regarding the cost.

Will you read that to me, please?

HARRY DANFORTH: Whereas, attorneys fees for prosecution and the expenses of investigation are still costly, and—

HAROLD SITRON: I think the part about "are still costly" could be deleted. In other words, it would seem there might be an overcharge for such services.

HARRY DANFORTH: That could be changed, but the meat of the Resolution—

HAROLD SITRON: I have nothing against that.

HARRY DANFORTH: We are still going to need more money and the Resolution explains where the money is going. If you wish it edited, we will be glad to edit it.

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: All those in favor of the motion, say "aye." Opposed? (No response). I hear none, the motion is carried.

Elections

I will appoint the Election Tellers at this time:

Harold Sitron, Walter Dundon, Ascher Jacobs, John Hardy, A. W. Peterson and E. E. Hoag.

Now, we are ready for the election of the President-Elect.

The Secretary will read the information.

(The Secretary reads Article IV, Section 1, of the *Bylaws* concerning the election of President-Elect.)

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: I am asking for nominations for the President-Elect.

W. J. BLOEMER: Mr. President, my name is W. J. Bloemer and as President

of the St. Clair District Dental Society, it gives me great pleasure to place in nomination for President-Elect a candidate from our own district.

He has practiced dentistry faithfully for thirty-seven years and has served our profession on the state and local level for an equal number of years.

He has served the East St. Louis Dental Society as president and as secretary. He was president of the St. Clair District Dental Society not once, but twice, the first time in 1929 and the second time in 1945. He did such a fine job as secretary and treasurer of the district and he was so well liked that he was re-elected twelve successive times.

He has served on all the committees of our local society at various times in his thirty-seven years of practice. Even after so many years of service, he still heads one of our committees on the state level. He was our representative in the Executive Council from 1953 to 1955 and he also has been a delegate from the Illinois State Dental Society to the American Dental Association for three years.

It is a real privilege and a great pleasure to place in nomination for the office of President-Elect of the Illinois State Dental Society the name of my very good friend, Dr. Robert A. Hundley.

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: Thank you, doctor.

Seconding? Dr. C. F. Isenberger.

C. F. ISENBERGER: Mr. President, it is with a great deal of pleasure that I would like to second the nomination of Bob Hundley. I served with Bob Hundley on the Executive Council. I feel he is a very fine fellow and very capable. We in Northern Illinois are happy to second the nomination of Bob Hundley for President-Elect.

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: Thank you, Dr. Isenberger.

Another second by Dr. James C. Donelan.

JAMES C. DONELAN: It is with pleasure that I rise to second the nomination of Dr. Robert A. Hundley for President-Elect of the Illinois State Dental Society. I know of no man more qualified to hold that position. Not only has he been the capable Chairman of the Committee on Aging of the Society, but he has on many occasions in the past years held offices of trust and each time he has been given a job to do, he has carried it through with integrity and benefit to organized dentistry.

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: Thank you, Dr. Donelan.

Are there any other nominations for the office of President-Elect?

(No response.)

Dr. Kurz?

CHARLES KURZ: Mr. President, I move the nominations be closed and the Secretary be instructed to cast a unanimous ballot for Dr. Robert A. Hundley as President-Elect.

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: Any comment?

(Motion seconded, put to a vote and carried.)

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: It has been formally carried that the nominations be closed and that the Secretary cast a unanimous ballot for Robert A. Hundley.

PAUL W. CLOPPER: The Secretray casts a unanimous ballot for Dr. Robert A. Hundley as President-Elect of the Illinois State Dental Society for 1962.

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: Now, we will have the Secretary read the information on the election of the Vice-President of the Illinois State Dental Society.

(The Secretary reads Article IV, Section 2, concerning election of the Vice-President.)

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: Are there nominations for the office of Vice-President?

Dr. Phil Chain?

PHIL CHAIN: Mr. President, I would like to put in nomination for Vice-President of the Illinois State Dental Society for 1962 our very capable local arrangements chairman for the 97th Annual

Meeting, Dr. William Curtis.

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: Is there a second please?

Dr. Hill from Joliet.

HARRY HILL: I should like to second the nomination of Dr. Bill Curtis, whose ability has been so ably demonstrated at this meeting, for Vice-President of the Illinois State Dental Society.

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: Thank you, Dr. Hill.

Will someone move the nominations be closed?

(Motion made, seconded and carried.)

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: We will now vote for Dr. William Curtis as Vice-President. All those in favor, say "aye."

Opposed? (No response.)

Carried.

Have the Secretary cast the ballot.

PAUL W. CLOPPER: The Secretary casts the unanimous ballot for Dr. William Curtis for Vice-President for 1962.

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: Thank you, Dr. Clopper.

Now we come to the election of Councilmen, Group 1, Group 2 and Group 3. The Secretary will read the announcement for the election of the Councilmen.

(The Secretary reads Article IV, Section 5, regulating the election of Councilmen.)

PAUL W. CLOPPER: Group 1 will assemble at my right in the back of the Ball Room to hold their caucus, Group 2 will assemble on this side, my left, to hold their caucus and the Chicago group will stay here in front. As soon as you have elected a Councilman, please report to the table.

(The three groups assemble and hold their meetings.)

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: The results of the voting for Councilmen of Group 1, Dr. Frank Fehrenbacher of Joliet.

Group 2, Ralph Dixon of Alton, and Group 3, Harold C. Drummond and Charles H. Schelhas.

I declare officially the election of these Councilmen.

Now, we come to unfinished business. Any unfinished business on your desk? (No. response.)

We come to new business. The presentation of a Proposed Revision of the *Illinois State Dental Society Constitution and By-laws,* to be acted on in May, 1962.

As you remember, last year it was presented at the Annual Meeting, but during the year many corrections and amendments have been added to the proposed revision of the *Constitution and Bylaws.* We checked with our attorney, Mr. Montgomery Winning of Springfield and because there were so many changes, it was his opinion it ought to hold over one more year and be voted on officially at the Annual Meeting in Springfield in 1962.

It was his suggestion and I will now advise you that the proposed revision will be published in the *Transactions* issue of the ILLINOIS DENTAL JOURNAL in July, 1961, and again at some future date during the year before the meeting in May 1962.

Is there any discussion on this?

ASCHER JACOBS: Mr. Chairman, I rise on a point of order. I believe the *Constitution* is a hold-over.

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: Just a hold-over?

ASCHER JACOBS: The hold-over comes under old business and I believe if we are going to follow Parliamentary procedure, it will be necessary for you to declare the revision presented last year, out of order, and have the new revision of the *Constitution* introduced.

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: I declare at this time that the old revision of the *Constitution and Bylaws,* as presented last May, will be out of order and that the new revision, that is, the revision presented today will be voted on next May. With that idea in mind I will present it as new business at this time.

Dr. Gronner?

CURT J. GRONNER: As a point of infor-

mation, will any further revisions or any further suggestions be incorporated by our Committee to be published in the *Transactions* issue?

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: No, it will appear as it is published right here. (Indicates printed booklet.) I might remark that I neglected to read this before. This is the official copy of the proposed revision of the *Constitution and Bylaws* and has been signed by Drs. Paul W. Clopper, Herman R. Wenger, Robert J. Pollock, E. E. Hoag, Ross H. Bradley, and James C. Donelan. This will be published in the *Transactions* issue in July, Dr. Gronner, and also some month during the year.

Now, it can be amended by unanimous consent next May if there is any amendment you want to add to it.

VOICE FROM THE FLOOR: It doesn't take unanimous consent.

CURT J. GRONNER: If I may continue?

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: Dr. Gronner.

CURT J. GRONNER: My thinking was that if there were further revisions contemplated, it could be perhaps made to clarify, or as a continuing proposition to this present proposal. This is necessary and, according to our present *Constitution,* would be legal. At least I think it would, so why couldn't they change whatever they have to change, publish it, and take a lot less time next year.

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: Thanks, Dr. Gronner.

ASCHER JACOBS: I would like to rise for a point of information. I would like it understood, for the record, that this revision, as proposed, is subject to amendment.

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: Yes, next May. Any further new business to come before the meeting at this time?

(No response.)

I wish the new officers and councilmen who have just been elected would come to the platform and be introduced to the members.

Dr. Hundley—our President-Elect.

ROBERT HUNDLEY: I would just like to pledge to you my full ability of any of the talents that I might possess. Thank you.

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: Vice President—Dr. Curtis.

L. WILLIAM CURTIS: It was a real pleasure to serve on the General Arrangements Committee. I got a lot of help from my committee and we tried to make you all feel welcome in Peoria.

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: The Councilman of the Northeastern district, Frank Fehrenbacher from Joliet.

FRANK FEHRENBACHER: Thank you, gentlemen.

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: Is the Southern District man here?

JOHN HARDY: No.

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: We just have one man from Chicago, Harold C. Drummond.

HAROLD C. DRUMMOND: I want to thank you for the honor you have bestowed upon me. I hope I can prove worthy of your trust.

PRESIDENT KARTHEISER: There is no further business to come before this Meeting.

I declare this 97th Meeting of the Illinois State Dental Society adjourned.

(Meeting adjourned at 5:00 p.m.)

PAUL W. CLOPPER, D.D.S.
Secretary

Approved:
PHILLIP J. KARTHEISER, D.D.S.
President

(Minutes of the 97th Annual Business Session of the Illinois State Dental Society recorded in shorthand by Lucille K. Jorn, Court Reporter and Notary Public.)

Minutes • Executive Council • Ad Interim Committee

Executive Council Meeting • January 19, 1961

The Executive Council was called to order by President Phillip J. Kartheiser at 9:35 a.m. on January 19, 1961, Peoria, Illinois. All officers and members were present.

The President opened the meeting with a short prayer and then welcomed the new members of the Council.

The agenda for the meeting was not heavy and a great deal of time was spent in a round table discussion of the duties of each councilman, the Relief Fund Campaign, and a possible drive for new members.

Dr. Kartheiser introduced Dr. L. E. Steward, chairman of the Insurance Committee, who in turn introduced Mr. D. W. Aleshire of Parker, Aleshire and Company. Mr. Aleshire explained two changes in the Society's group disability insurance which have been approved by the Commercial Insurance Company. The changes modernize the coverage to include lifetime accident benefits in combination with non-confining sickness benefits. The coverage will be offered to all present policyholders and to all new members, regardless of previous medical history.

Mr. Aleshire also explained that the long-term disability benefits policy held by the Society with Bankers Security Life Insurance Society of New York is being cancelled by that company as of May 1, 1961. The Commercial Insurance Company has agreed to make available their lifetime accident and sickness coverage without interruption of coverage to all members now insured with Bankers.

Motion carried that the new improved insurance program presented by Parker, Aleshire and Company be approved.

Motion carried that the expense allowance for the 1961 A.D.A. delegates be $120.00, to be pro-rated according to the number of sessions held and attended; and that the expense allowance for the 1961 American Dental Association alternates be $50.00, to be pro-rated according to the number of sessions held and attended. One member recorded a negative vote.

Motion carried that the expenses of the President and Secretary to the 1961 American Dental Association meeting be allowed.

Motion carried that the Executive Council reconvene at 10:00 a.m. on Sunday, May 7, 1961, in Peoria.

Motion carried that the power of the Executive Council to be transferred to the Ad Interim Committee.

The meeting adjourned at 12:05 p.m.

PAUL W. CLOPPER, D.D.S.
Secretary

Approved:
PHILLIP J. KARTHEISER
President

The Executive Council was called to order at 10:05 a.m. by President Kartheiser on May 7, 1961. All members were present, with the exception of Drs. Sitron and Reardon. The President opened the meeting with a short prayer.

The minutes of the Executive Council of January 19, 1961, the Ad Interim Committee of February 6, 1961, and the mail votes of the Ad Interim Committee of February 27, and April 5, 1961, were approved.

The following Treasurer's report of May 7, 1961, was received:

General Fund	$119,099.04
Special Fund	31,387.48
Relief Fund	415.84
Centennial Fund	4,214.00

The reports of the Secretary and Editor were received.

The report of the Finance and Planning Committee was read by the Secretary and recommendations were acted on at the time of the reading.

Motion carried that the following recommendations be approved:

(1) All financial transactions of the Journal Office be handled through the Central Office with all records and books being kept in the Central Office.

(2) Basic overhead expenses of the Journal Office, such as rent and telephone, be paid by the Business Office instead of from the Petty Cash Fund of the Journal.

(3) Mileage be raised from 7¢ to 8¢ and an additional allowance of $2.00 be made for those traveling by rail to compensate for cab fare.

The following committee reports were received:

Council on Dental Health
Group Dental Health Care Plans
Interprofessional Relations
Study Club
Component Officers Conference
Aging
Hospital Dental Services
Membership
Prosthetic Dental Service
Centennial

Dr. Madda, chairman of the Centennial Committee, reviewed his written report, stating that Dr. Edward J. Forrest is to be replaced by Dr. Arthur J. Skupa on the Scientific Program Committee.

The Secretary read a letter from the Chicago Dental Society, inviting the State Society to hold its Centennial Meeting in Chicago.

Motion carried that the Illinois State Dental Society Centennial Meeting be held at the Edgewater Beach Hotel in Chicago on May 10-14, 1964.

Motion carried that the following members be appointed to the Scientific Program Committee and that Dr. Madda be authorized to change or enlarge the Committee as necessary: Dr. Frank Amaturo, Chicago, chairman; Drs. Arthur J. Skupa, Hinsdale; Frank R. Christopher, Evanston; John R. Thompson, Chicago; J. Malcolm Elson, Peoria; Charles S. Kurz, Carlyle; James L. Bradley, Springfield; T. V. Weclew, Chicago; V. B. Milas, Chicago; Arthur L. Roberts, Aurora; C. E. Chamberlain, Peoria.

The progress report of a possible retirement plan for employees was received.

The Secretary read the report of the Special Committee to study the activities and scope of the Council on Dental Health and the report was received with commendation.

Dr. Leonard Esper, chairman of the Public Policy Committee, appeared before the Council to present a supplementary report. The Dental Service Corporation Enabling Act Bill has been introduced in the Legislature and was referred to the Insurance Committee.

The Committee recommended that the bill "do pass." No further action has been taken.

Seven amendments to the Dental Practice Act have been introduced in the House; they are House Bills 1227 through 1233. The sponsors of bills 1227 through 1231 are: Marion Burks, Evanston; E. E. Dale, Champaign; Leo Pfeffer, Seymour; James Carrigan, Peoria; Robert Burhans, Peoria; Alan Dixon, Belleville; Esther Saperstein, Chicago; and John Leon, Chicago.

House Bills 1232 and 1233, which concern mandatory jail sentence for second and subsequent offenses and the awarding of court costs in injunction suits were also sponsored by the above mentioned members of the House, with the exception of Representatives Carrigan and Pfeffer, who are opposed to these bills.

The written and oral reports of the Public Policy Committee were approved with commendation.

Dr. Zielinski, chairman of the Committee on Committees, presented the appointments to standing committees for the year 1962, which were approved. Dr. Zielinski was authorized to make any changes that are necessary.

After receiving the report of the Commission on Legislation and Law Enforcement motion carried that the Council approve the recommended $10.00 assessment for 1962 and the Resolutions Committee be instructed to prepare the proper resolution for presentation to the General Body on May 10.

President Kartheiser introduced Dr. Robert J. Wells, trustee of the American Dental Association 8th District. Dr. Wells presented an oral report of the activities of the Board of Trustees and the American Dental Association. He stated that the American Dental Association is entering into a dental care plan for employees with the Continental Casualty Company, whereby the American Dental Association and the employee share the expense.

He discussed the resolution presented to the Board in regard to establishing an extensive dental exhibit at the Chicago Museum of Science and Industry. Although the Board is receptive to the idea, it is hesitant to finance such an exhibit in a particular area and thus set a precedent for other cities. It was indicated that the idea might receive more favorable action if the State and Component Societies were to share in the expense of such an exhibit.

Dr. Wells mentioned the exchange dentist program sponsored by the National Institute of Dental Education and the fact that the American Dental Association was being visited by a group of Russian dentists. American dentists will travel to Russia later in the summer.

The Secretary read a letter from the Winnebago County Dental Society inviting the Society to hold its 1963 or 1965 annual meeting in Rockford. There was discussion of the hotel facilities in Rockford. It was mentioned that Aurora was the site of two new large motels and might possibly be considered for future state meetings. It was also mentioned that a tentative reservation has already been made with the Hotel Pere Marquette in Peoria for the 1963 meeting.

Motion carried that the Secretary be authorized to confirm the tentative reservations at the Pere Marquette for 1963 and the letter from the Winnebago Society be filed for future consideration.

The Secretary read letters he had received concerning the State Society policy in regard to construction of mouth protectors now required for contact sports. The following special committee was appointed to investigate the matter and recommend a policy for the Society: Drs. R. R. Paschall, chairman; Robert L. Straub, William B. Brady, and James Vessell.

Motions carried that Dr. Carl J. Mad-

da be re-elected as Treasurer of the Society and Dr. William P. Schoen be reappointed as Editor of the ILLINOIS DENTAL JOURNAL.

Motion carried that the minutes of the May 7, 1961, Executive Council meeting be accepted, as approved by the President and Secretary, for publication in the *Transactions* of the July, 1961 ILLINOIS DENTAL JOURNAL.

The meeting adjourned at 4:50 p.m.

PAUL W. CLOPPER, D.D.S.
Secretary

Approved:
PHILLIP J. KARTHEISER, D.D.S.
President

Ad Interim Committee Meeting • February 6, 1961

The Ad Interim Committee convened at 9:30 a.m. on February 6, 1961, in the Conrad Hilton Hotel, Chicago, Illinois.

Dr. L. William Curtis, local arrangements chairman, reported on arrangements for the 1961 meeting.

In the absence of Dr. Arthur Roberts, program chairman, Dr. Howard Gillette, table clinic chairman, reported for both committees. Consideration was given to the preliminary and official programs and to a flyer. Dr. Gillette, announced the essayists and clinicians breakfast would be held on Wednesday morning, and that tie clasps or tie tacs would be presented to the essayists and clinicians, as were presented in 1960.

The minutes of the Executive Council sessions of January 18 and 19, 1961, were read.

The following committee was appointed to study a basic retirement plan for Society employees: Dr. Harry Danforth, chairman; Dr. Neil Kingston, Dr. Robert Straub, and Dr. Paul Clopper.

President Kartheiser then appointed a committee recommended by the Executive Council which will study the activation and expansion of the scope of activities of the Council on Dental Health, particularly as it has to do with recommendations of the 1960 White House Conference on Children and Youth. The committee is composed of the five Society officers; Drs. Chronquist and Smith, members of the Executive Council; Drs. Blackman, Zur, and Clarno, members of the Council on Dental Health; and Dr. Willard Johnson as chairman.

The Secretary read a letter from the American Dental Association in regard to Dr. Benjamin Gillmeister's request regarding payment of his back dues in order to become eligible for Life Membership. Motion carried that the Secretary be instructed to proceed in requesting the American Dental Association to approve Dr. Gillmeister's request, according to the rules of the Board of Trustees.

The Resolution Committee was requested to formulate a resolution to be forwarded by the Illinois State Dental Society to senators and representatives urging support of Bill S-3780, introduced by Senator Lister Hill, which deals with catagorical grants on Dental Health to states. Copies of this resolution will be forwarded to Illinois congressional senators and representatives and to the Council on Legislation of the American Dental Association. (Resolution on Page 468).

The Secretary reported on the progress of plans for the enlargement of the Central Office. Motion carried that the Secretary be authorized to proceed and given authority to purchase the necessary additional equipment.

The meeting adjourned at 1:30 p.m.

PAUL W. CLOPPER, D.D.S.
Secretary

Approved:
PHILLIP J. KARTHEISER, D.D.S.
President

Ad Interim Mail Vote • February 27, 1961

On February 27, 1961, following a recommendation of the Illinois Dental Examining Committee and the Director of the Department of Registration and Education a mail vote of the Ad Interim Committee was taken. The recommendation consisted of the following: that the Section 4c of the Illinois Dental Practice Act be amended by striking out the word "exposed" from the first sentence of that Section. It was desired that this amendment be presented to the Medical Practice Act Commission for their information, with the hope of receiving their approval. The recommendation was unanimously accepted by the Ad Interim Committee.

PAUL W. CLOPPER, D.D.S.
Secretary

Approved:
PHILLIP J. KARTHEISER
President

Ad Interim Mail Vote • April 5, 1961

At a Centennial Committee meeting on February 8, 1961, consideration centered on Chicago and Peoria as sites for the 1964 Centennial Meeting. The Edgewater Beach, LaSalle, and Palmer House hotels in Chicago and the Hotel Pere Marquette in Peoria were considered as possible headquarters hotels. At the subsequent meeting on March 1, a recommendation was made to obtain tentative dates at the Edgewater Beach Hotel of May 10-14, 1964, subject to the approval of the Executive Council. It later developed that another large organization desired those same dates. At the request of Dr. Carl J. Madda, chairman of the Centennial Committee, a mail vote of the Ad Interim Committee was taken setting the dates of May 10-14, 1964, subject to the approval of the Executive Council with the Edgewater Beach Hotel as headquarters. This vote was unanimous.

PAUL W. CLOPPER, D.D.S.
Secretary

Approved:
PHILLIP J. KARTHEISER
President

SECRETARY'S REPORT • May 9, 1961

The greatest concentration of committee activity since January, 1961, had to do with legislation, law enforcement, long-range planning for increased activities in dental health education and further study of the proposed revision of the *Constitution and Bylaws*. Expansion of the Central Office has been com-

pleted. A bill making it possible for the Illinois State Dental Society to organize a Dental Service Corporation has been introduced and other bills of vital importance to the dental profession are being prepared.

The *Constitution and Bylaws* Committee held a number of meetings, incorporated several changes, and the entire revised copy was then referred to Attorney Montgomery S. Winning for evaluation and opinion as to its legality and the procedure to be followed in presenting the instrument to the General Body. The revised instrument, which must lay over until the meeting in May, 1962, must be published in the Transactions issue and one other issue of the ILLINOIS DENTAL JOURNAL.

The Fifth Annual Component Conference was held on April 5 and 6, 1961 with twenty Components, including two Branch Societies, represented. A full report of this Conference is before you.

The membership is to again be congratulated for exceeding their quota for the 1961 Relief Fund. As of March 15, Illinois had exceeded its quota with a percentage of 109.3 per cent.

The total membership, as of May 1, 1961, is 5,079 with 140 delinquents.

PAUL W. CLOPPER

EDITOR'S REPORT • May 9, 1961

The Editor has nothing in particular to report at this time regarding the JOURNAL. The staff, consisting of Drs. Robert Kreiner, Ascher Jacobs, and James Bradley, have been most helpful. We feel that these three men are doing a remarkable job of specialized writing.

Dr. Donald Lemon keeps our publication office in La Grange going and has our thanks for his fine service.

Our component editors could be more active, but by and large, this section of our JOURNAL is fairly well represented.

Our new series, "It's Your Life," has been well received. This series started in the February issue and will include a number of articles, written especially for the JOURNAL, about the health of the dentist.

WILLIAM P. SCHOEN

COMPONENT OFFICERS CONFERENCE

April 5-6, 1961

The Fifth Annual Component Officers Conference convened at 2:00 p.m., April 5, 1961, at the Hotel Pere Marquette with President Phillip J. Kartheiser presiding. Sixty-nine component officers and State Society officials were present, with twenty Component Societies and two Branch Societies represented.

President Kartheiser greeted those in attendance and introduced Dr. Joseph B. Zielinski, moderator of the panel discussion. The panel discussion covered "Component Responsibilities" and pan-

elists were: Dr. Robert J. Pollock, "Organization"; Dr. Robert F. Tuck, "Administration"; Dr. Phillip J. Kartheiser, "Programs for Members"; and Dr. Robert L. Straub, "Programs for Public and Professional Relations." The panelists' papers will be published at a later date in the ILLINOIS DENTAL JOURNAL.

Dr. Paul W. Clopper presented an informal discussion of the duties of Component Secretaries in regard to the collection and remission to the Central Office of Dental Society dues.

After completion of the panel discussion, the conference was thrown open for general discussion and questions from the audience.

Topics covered were:

1. Component efforts to obtain new members.
2. Public Relations.
3. Component ethics or grievance committees and the method for handling complaints against members.
4. An indoctrination kit for new members.

The session adjourned at 4:45 p.m.

A second session of the Fifth Annual Component Officers Conference convened after breakfast at 9:10 a.m., April 6.

Dr. Leonard W. Esper, chairman of the Public Policy Committee, presented a resume of the Dental Service Corporation Enabling Act soon to be presented to the Illinois Legislature. He also reviewed six possible amendments to the Dental Practice Act.

Mr. Edgar T. Stephens, Law Enforcement Program Director, reviewed litigation of the past year and activities of the Commission on Legislation and Law Enforcement in the following five areas: (1) Criminal prosecution, (2) Injunctive prosecution, (3) License Revocation, (4) Legislative Activities, (5) Education of the profession and the public in regard to Oral Health.

Dr. Willard R. Johnson, member of the *Constitution and Bylaws* Committee, presented a review and explanation of the proposed revisions to the Illinois State Dental Society *Constitution and Bylaws*.

Dr. William P. Schoen, editor of the ILLINOIS DENTAL JOURNAL, reviewed the activities of the JOURNAL.

The conference was then opened to general discussion by the participants. The main topic of discussion was the new State Law requiring mouthpieces for all participants in high school contact sports.

Opinions were expressed pro and con regarding the matter of dentists donating their services for the construction of these mouthpieces.

It was suggested the State Society establish an official policy in regard to the construction and fitting of these mouthpieces.

The Conference adjourned at 12:00 noon.

PAUL W. CLOPPER,
Chairman

REPORTS • Standing Committees

Council on Dental Health

My thanks to Dr. Clifton Clarno for carrying on the work of this Committee during my absence. Plans are under way for holding three Dental Health Conferences this year in place of one. These conferences will be held in Carbondale, Macomb, and DeKalb. Plans for the conference to be held in Carbondale on

September 14 are being made by Drs. Guy Lambert, Nolan Sullivan, and Joseph F. Scott. Plans for the Macomb conference to be held on August 23rd are in the capable hands of Drs. John Zur, Robert Norton, Clifton Clarno, and Robert Barkley. Drs. William Sowle, Guerney Alzeno, and Lloyd Blackman are in charge of the conference at DeKalb on October 4.

The Illinois Department of Health through the Dental Division made it possible this year for fourteen selected dentists to attend a post-graduate course in children's dentistry at the University of Illinois College of Dentistry. The dates were March 20-24. The Council on Dental Health greatly appreciates the fine cooperation given by the Dental Division of the State Health Department.

A membership in the Illinois Public Health Association has been taken by the Illinois State Dental Society.

The Council on Dental Health Breakfast will be held at the time of the State Society Meeting in May.

Dr. Nolan M. Sullivan, a member of our Dental Health Council will act as a judge representing the Illinois State Dental Society at the Junior Science Fair at the University of Illinois at Urbana on May 12.

LLOYD C. BLACKMAN, *Chairman*

Group Dental Health Care Plans

In addition to what was reported in the March JOURNAL, we find that two insurance companies are ready to offer an insurance program which could be the answer to Group Dental Health Care Plans.

This program would allow the entire dental profession to participate and not only members who have signed up with the Service Corporation. In addition, this permits the dentists to charge the prevailing fee.

WALTER J. NOCK, *Chairman*

Interprofessional Relations

A committee representing each of the five professional groups of the Illinois Interprofessional Council met with Governor Otto Kerner on March 10. We acquainted him with the purposes and organization of the Council. We asked for his consideration and support of matters which the Council might bring to his attention in connection with the health and welfare of the people of the State of Illinois. We were assured of his cooperation.

There has been considerable discussion among members of the Council regarding the broadening of our area of interprofessional relations by becoming a nucleus for the formation of an Illinois Health Council. Accordingly, by invitation, Mr. John Doherty, executive secretary of the Michigan Health Council, came from Lansing, Michigan, and spoke to the Council at the February meeting. The Michigan Health Council is made up of more than 100 different health organizations. Its primary function is health education by means of health conferences, television programs, professional placement, vocation guidance leading to student procurement, and distribution of health literature.

The annual meeting of the Illinois Interprofessional Council was held May 23, 1961, at the Swedish Club of Chicago. Frederick Howard Falls, M.D., has been chosen by the Council to receive the Distinguished Service Award.

GEORGE W. HAX, *Chairman*

Hospital Dental Service

The Hospital Dental Service Committee of the State Society works in close cooperation with Dr. Casey who is Secretary of the Hospital Dental Service Committee of the American Dental Association.

To date, dental departments have been or are being formed in the following hospitals: LaGrange Memorial Community, MacNeal Memorial, Elmhurst Memorial, Oak Park, West Lake, Hinsdale, and Loretto hospitals in the Chicago area.

A program of education and participation in hospital dentistry to the dentists of Chicago has been initiated. A very successful and well-attended program was given at LaGrange Memorial Hospital in April of this year. We hope to continue these programs and rotate them to different hospitals.

The initial and continued success of the Chicago Dental Service Committee has convinced me that such committees should be fostered in all the component branches. This would accomplish three major objectives:

1. Attract attention on a local level to the necessity of forming dental departments in local hospitals.

2. Ascertain the interest and particular needs for hospital dentistry by the dentists, physicians, hospital administrators, and lay constituents of the local community.

3. Establish training programs in hospital procedures for the local component society members.

The Hospital Dental Service Committee of the State Society should help local groups facilitate their hospital programs. This should be done by training, guidance, and educational material. A budget should be allocated to this committee to promote the following:

1. Training courses in hospital procedures.

2. Expert guidance by trained personnel.

3. Distribution of pertinent literature to the dentists, physicians, hospitals, and civic leaders of the state.

NICHOLAS CHOUKAS, *Chairman*

Prosthetic Dental Service

One meeting of the Joint Prosthetic Dental Service Committee was held since our annual report in January. This meeting was held in Chicago on March 1, 1961.

Topics discussed were: the Medical Practice Act Commission meetings, the National Dental Laboratory Accreditation Commission, a summary of a talk by Daniel P. Ward, State's Attorney of Cook County, and the Sear's Dental Repair Kit.

Mr. Stephens gave a report on Law Enforcement activities since December.

A page in the ILLINOIS DENTAL JOURNAL devoted to the Illinois Dental Laboratory Association was discussed and the possibility is to be considered by the Board Members of the Laboratory Association. Such a page was approved by the Executive Council some time ago.

Continued cooperation has been manifested by the ethical dental laboratory craft and we are optimistic as to future progress.

LLOYD H. DODD, *Chairman*

Public Policy

Our General Counsel, Mr. John Porter, explained our proposed amendments to a sub-committee of the Medical Practice Act Commission in Chicago on

February 17. The sub-committee was to discuss these amendments with the whole Commission and then make their recommendations. The proposed amendments to the Dental Practice Act are as follows:

1. An amendment to correct present errors in the Dental Practice Act relating to requirements for filing licenses with the County Clerk. This applies to Section 4-d, in the case of hygienists and Section 6, with reference to dentists. Also, to change Section 13 to read the same as Section 3-d.

2. An amendment to provide a manditory jail sentence for second and subsequent offenses where convictions are obtained for practicing dentistry without a license.

3. An amendment requiring that the name of the dentist associated with a laboratory appear on the premises.

4. An amendment to revise compensation for members of the Dental Examining Committee; also that the Dental Examining Committee be increased to seven members with a quorum of four members.

5. Amendment of Section 17-a to provide for allowance of court costs to the prevailing party in injunction suits.

6. An amendment which provides that any dentist licensed in Illinois and some other state, who has his license revoked in the other state, shall also have his license revoked in Illinois if the offense merits revocation in Illinois.

A "Dental Service Plan Act" has been introduced by Dr. E. E. Dale, Marion Burks, Allan J. Dixon, and Abner J. Mikva. The number of the bill is House Bill 721 and as of this writing it has not been assigned to a committee.

LEONARD W. ESPER, *Chairman*

Study Club

The annual meeting of the Study Club Committee was called to order with Dr. Curt Gronner, Northwest District; Dr. Robert Lee, Central Western District; and Dr. Phil Chain, Central District present. Dr. Karl Freivogel of the Central Eastern District and Dr. E. J. Gillespie of the Southern District were absent.

It was brought out at this meeting that the usual $150.00, would be allowed each District to help defray expenses of meetings, that all speakers and dates for these meetings must be approved by the Chairman of the Study Club Committee and the State Secretary, and that the Secretary would address envelopes for complete membership of each District if so requested.

A list of District meetings reported and cleared at this meeting for the current year are as follows:

April 26, Northwest District, Joliet, Dr. Chet Frank, chairman; Dr. Clarence Larkin, speaker; "Denture Procedures."

October 1, Central District, Peoria, Dr. Phil Chain, chairman; Col. Robert Shira, speaker; "Oral Surgery."

November 1, Northwest District, Rockton, Dr. Curt Gronner, chairman; Dr. David Gehl, speaker; "Oral Surgery."

NED J. VESPA, *Chairman*

Aging

The past year has been a busy one for this committee. Nothing concrete has developed beyond a health bill now before the State Legislature. It is known

as Senate Bill 197, and is to implement the Kerr-Mills Bill. This legislation was proposed by the Illinois State Medical Society. Though they kept us informed of the changes through the different drafts, we were not able to secure any dental recognition. This bill, if passed, will be conducted under the auspices of the current Illinois Public Aid Commission. The dental program of that organization, at present, consists mainly of relief of pain. Their old age recipients could secure relief of pain and some minor dental service, such as plate repairs and tissue and tongue relief from sharp edges of broken or worn teeth. Any dental work of consequence would have to be initiated by the physician in charge, and reviewed and passed by the County Dental Advisor before it could be started.

At the present writing, it appears that dental services for the aged are not much different than they have been in the past. The ones who are ambulatory and financially responsible, can procure them at their usual places. The confined patients must make needed arrangements through their personal dentist and these should be done at fees that are mutually acceptable. This should not work too much hardship on any one person for the requests will not be numerous.

ROBERT A. HUNDLEY, *Chairman*

Centennial

A meeting of the Centennial Committee was held on February 8, 1961. At this meeting there was considerable discussion regarding a meeting city for the Illinois State Dental Society's Centennial Meeting. It was the consensus of the committee that the two cities to be considered were Chicago and Peoria. Tentative dates of May 10 to 14, 1964, and May 24 to 28, 1964, were considered, but were left for a final decision until the Centennial city has been chosen.

On March 1, 1961, the Chicago members of the Centennial Committee met in the Congress Hotel for the purpose of determining whether it would be feasible to hold the Centennial Meeting in Chicago. After a lengthy discussion, a recommendation was made to the Executive Council that the Centennial Meeting be held in Chicago. Three hotels in Chicago were contacted, and the Edgewater Beach Hotel seemed like the best one at which to have our Centennial Meeting.

It was also agreed that a Scientific Program Committee should be appointed at least three years prior to the Centennial Meeting. Suggested members for this committee were as follows: Drs. Frank Amaturo, Chicago, representing the Loyola Dental School; Dr. Edward J. Forrest, Chicago, representing the University of Illinois Dental School; Dr. Bob Christopher, Evanston, representing the Northwestern University Dental School; Dr. Jack Thompson, Chicago; Dr. Malcolm Elson, Peoria; Dr. Charles Kurz, Carlyle; Dr. James L. Bradley, Springfield; Dr. Ted Weclew, Chicago; Dr. V. B. Milas, Chicago; Dr. Arthur Roberts, Aurora; and Dr. Clarke Chamberlain, Peoria. This committee should be appointed in order that long-range planning can assure the top essayists and clinicians.

It was agreed that a Centennial luncheon should be held which would honor the 1964-Fifty Year Members, and consideration should be given to honoring all of the Fifty-Year Members still living.

It was also agreed that the Illinois Dental Assistants, Hygienists, Dental Laboratory Association, the Dental Di-

vision of the Department of Public Health, the Chicago Dental Dealers' Association, and the three Dental Schools should be awarded Centennial plaques for the invaluable service rendered to Illinois dentistry. Honors should also be given to the oldest living past-president of the State Society and the oldest living member of the State Society, and invitations should be mailed to the presidents of the Dental Societies of Iowa, Michigan, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Missouri, Kentucky, and Indiana.

A discussion then followed regarding employment of a public relations firm for one year prior to the Centennial Meeting. The type of publicity anticipated will be necessary if the meeting is to be held in Chicago.

CARL J. MADDA, *Chairman*

Finance and Planning

The Finance and Planning Committee met on April 19, 1961.

The Committee reviewed the budget resume and expenditures for the first three months of 1961. An error in the committee budgets was noted. The total of the committee budgets amounted to $5,775.00, instead of $5,275.00, as shown in the original budget. The committee recommended that the committee's allotment be increased by $500.00.

There was considerable discussion of Journal advertising receipts and overdue advertising accounts. It was the opinion of the Committee that better coordination of the Journal bookkeeping process is necessary.

The Committee recommended that all financial transactions of the JOURNAL Office, such as statements to advertisers and collection of accounts, be handled through the Central Office with all records and books being kept in the Central Office.

It was recommended that the basic overhead expenses of the Journal Office, such as rent and telephone, be paid by the Business Office instead of from the Journal Office Petty Cash Fund.

The Committee recommended that the mileage allowance be raised from 7¢ to 8¢ per mile and that an allowance of an additional $2.00 be made for those traveling by rail.

HARRY D. DANFORTH, *Chairman*

Student Liaison

No formal meeting of this Committee was held. Members of the Committee have been contacted to see if any unusual student problems have been uncovered with which we might be able to help. A supply of the publication *Recent Dental Graduate* has been offered for distribution to each of the dental schools for their graduating classes.

In addition to the student affairs, this Committee through its Chairman and with the aid of the Central Office, has taken on the task of preparing an "Indoctrination Kit" to be distributed to new members through the component societies and possibly to prospective members as an information source of material pertaining to the Dental Society. This kit is to be made up of current material from various sources which can be added to or materials de-

leted from without making the whole issue obsolete. Component societies can also add material or messages to the kit which might contain information pertinent to the local area.

FRED N. BAZOLA, *Chairman*

History

With the Centennial year approaching, we are aware of the urgency and obligation to participate with the Centennial Committee in arriving at the most desirable manner of conducting an attractive meeting. The members of this committee have participated in the discussions with our State Society officers and the Centennial Committee.

It was suggested that the dental schools might offer the opportunity for a student or students to prepare a history of our Society to gain scholastic recognition, and for our use.

In recognition of our Centennial year, the ILLINOIS DENTAL JOURNAL might publish monthly excerpts from the history of our Society.

During the year we received many books from Dr. Curt Gronner for which we are grateful. We also have received additional photographs of historical events from Dr. Edgar Coolidge.

The History Committee regrets the passing away of our member, Dr. Ned A. Arganbright of Freeport.

J. E. MAHONEY, *Chairman*

Study of a Retirement Plan

At this time the committee feels that a retirement plan should include the women working at the Central Office and the one working with the Editor. Two types of plans are being examined.

1. The Annuity Retirement Plan in which the Society would buy the annuity for the employees.
2. The Employees Pension Plan in which the employees and the Society both contribute to the plan.

Since this is a new policy and a new financial obligation for the Society to assume, your committee will try to have the best possible plans ready to submit to the Executive Council in January of 1962.

H. D. DANFORTH, *Chairman*

The Activity and Scope of Council on Dental Health

This special committee met on April 19, 1961, in the Central Office. The meeting consisted of a discussion among the committee members on how the Council on Dental Health could best be utilized in dental health education. It was the concensus of the committee that each Component Society must have a dental health committee headed by a chairman who is interested and willing to expend his energies for the committee. It was further agreed that dental health material should be distributed to all Component committees from the Central Office. The Chicago Dental Society Speakers Bureau was discussed and the possibility of forming a similar state bureau was considered.

The Dental Division of the Illinois Department of Public Health was discussed in regard to how its services can be fully utilized in dental health

education. Its director and regional consultants have always been most helpful when their assistance was requested; however, the committee felt that this assistance was not requested often enough. The Division has many facilities and much information at its disposal, which if properly used could be of great help to the Society in its dental health program. It was suggested that the Society contact the Department of Public Health in regard to this matter.

The possibility of the Society eventually hiring a person to direct the dental health education program was discussed. However, no recommendation could be reached at this time.

The conclusions reached by the committee were:

1. A Speakers Bureau of at least twenty-one dentists should be organized on the state level.
2. Greater use should be made of the services of the Dental Division from a standpoint of dental health surveys and education rather than from a remedial standpoint.
3. A definite dental health education plan should be set up and discussed with the Director of the Department of Public Health.
4. A study should be made of the possible procurement of a dental health education director for the Society.

—Willard R. Johnson, Chairman

The purpose and objectiives of the Committee to study the activity and scope of the Council on Dental Health as presented by its Chairman, Dr. Willard R. Johnson, are as follows:

Purpose of Committee:

1. To study the activation and expansion of the scope of activities of the Council on Dental Health.
2. Serious consideration should be given to the full or part-time use of a qualified director of dental health education.

Present Activities of Council on Dental Health:

1. Annual Dental Health Conference.
2. Poster or Limerick Contest.
3. Annual Children's Dentistry course at University of Illinois.
4. Study with Illinois Bottlers Association to determine role that carbonated beverages play in tooth decay.

Component Society Dental Health Programs:

Northeastern District:

Fox River Valley Dental Society:

1. February 1959—Dental Health program with speaker, health officers, school superintendents, and school nurses invited.
2. Endeavoring to organize a public health council in Wheaton.
3. Mouthpieces for football players in Wheaton and Aurora.

Kankakee District Dental Society: Conduct sodium fluoride programs, applying fluorides to 2nd, 5th, and 8th grades.

LaSalle County Dental Society: Annual grade school application of fluoride.

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To be voted on at the business session of the 98th Annual Meeting of the Illinois State Dental Society, May 9, 1962.

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OF THE ILLINOIS STATE DENTAL SOCIETY

ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of this organization shall be Illinois State Dental Society, hereinafter referred to as "the Society" or "this Society."

ARTICLE II - OBJECT

The object of this Society shall be to encourage the improvement of the health of the public and to promote the art and science of dentistry.

ARTICLE III - ORGANIZATION

Section 1. INCORPORATION: This Society is a non-profit corporation, organized under the laws of the State of Illinois. If this corporation shall be dissolved at any time, no part of its funds or property shall be distributed to, or among, its members but, after payment of all indebtedness of the corporation, its surplus funds and properties shall be used for dental education and dental research in such manner as the then governing body of the Society may determine.

Section 2. STATUS AS CONSTITUENT SOCIETY: This Society is a chartered constituent of the American Dental Association. The provisions of the American Dental Association Bylaws which govern constituent societies and the members of such societies shall have the same effect as though written into the *Bylaws*.

Section 3. CENTRAL OFFICE: The registered office of this Society shall be known as the Central Office and shall be located within the confines of the State of Illinois, as determined by the Executive Council of this Society.

Section 4. MEMBERSHIP: The membership of this Society shall consist of dentists and other persons as qualified and classified in Chapter I of the *Bylaws*.

Section 5. COMPONENT SOCIETIES: Component societies of this Society shall be those dental societies or dental associations organized and chartered in conformity with Chapter III of the *Bylaws*.

Section 6. DISTRICTS: The component societies of this Society shall be grouped into districts as provided in Chapter V of the *Bylaws*.

ARTICLE IV - GOVERNMENT

Section 1. LEGISLATIVE BODY: The legislative body of this Society shall be the active members present and voting at the annual business meeting.
Section 2. EXECUTIVE BODY: The executive body of this Society shall be an Executive Council as provided in Chapter VI of the *Bylaws*.

ARTICLE V - OFFICERS

Section 1. ELECTIVE OFFICERS: The elective officers of this Society shall be a President, President-Elect, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer, each of whom shall be elected by the legislative body as provided in Chapter VII of the *Bylaws*.

Section 2. APPOINTIVE OFFICER: The appointive officer of this Society shall be an Editor, who shall be appointed by the Executive Council, as provided in Chapter VIII of the *Bylaws*.

ARTICLE VI - SESSIONS

Section 1. SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS: Scientific sessions of this Society shall be conducted as provided in Chapter XIV, Section 9 of the *Bylaws*.

Section 2. BUSINESS MEETINGS: Business of this Society shall be conducted as provided in Chapters VI, Section 3 and XIV, Section 6 of the *Bylaws*.

ARTICLE VII - OFFICIAL SEAL

This Society shall have an official seal as approved by the Executive Council, the imprint of which shall be used on all documents to be officially certified.

ARTICLE VIII - AMENDMENTS

Section 1. COMPLIANCE: Any amendment or change made a part of the "Constitution and Bylaws of the American Dental Association," which will affect its constituent societies, shall be recognized and accepted immediately as a part of this *Constitution and Bylaws* without action of the membership of this Society.

Section 2. TWO-THIRDS AFFIRMATIVE VOTE: This *Constitution* may be amended by a two-thirds (⅔) affirmative vote of the members present at an annual business meeting, provided the proposed amendments or revision shall have been presented in writing, signed by five (5) members, at the previous annual session.

If the purpose and scope of the proposed amendments or revision is announced at an annual business meeting, or if a general revision of this *Constitution* is desired, and the Society or the Executive Council shall appoint a committee to present the revised form, the publication in the official *Transactions* of the Society or the *Illinois Dental Journal* of such proposed amendments or revision shall be deemed a sufficient compliance with the requirements of this section, and the proposed amendments or revision shall be considered at the next annual session.

Section 3. UNANIMOUS VOTE: This *Constitution* may also be amended at any meeting of the legislative body by a unanimous affirmative vote, provided a proposed amendment has been presented at a previous meeting of the annual session.

ARTICLE IX - TRANSITION

Section 1. POLICY STATEMENT: From time to time every organization finds it necessary to make changes in its existing form. When these are specific and few in number they can be accomplished by additions, amendments or other language changes in the existing organic document. When these become so extensive in number or nature as to necessitate revision of the prior basic document, this can be accomplished only by a complete revision. In the latter case it is seldom possible to change from the old to the revised in an instant; rather, there must be a period of transition during which part of the former structure is continued in effect until the revised instrument can be made completely effective. Such a time has come in this Society. For the purpose of effectuating the revisions proposed in this instrument, this schedule is included and made a part of this *Constitution and Bylaws.*

Section 2. EFFECTIVE DATES: All provisions of the *Constitution and Bylaws* of this Society adopted at Springfield in 1929, as amended, shall remain in full force and effect until superseded by the new sections according to the schedule set out below, and the *Constitution and Bylaws* of 1929, as amended, are further amended so that the President, the President-Elect, the Vice-President, the Secretary, the Treasurer and the executive councilmen holding office at the annual meeting at which this revised *Constitution and Bylaws* are adopted, shall continue in office until the installation of officers at the next succeeding annual meeting of the Society, at which time the President-Elect shall be installed as President without further election and the terms of sitting executive councilmen shall terminate.

To accomplish these ends, no President-Elect, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer and no executive councilmen shall be elected at the annual meeting at which this *Constitution and Bylaws* is adopted. All committee appointments in effect under the *Constitution and Bylaws* of 1929, as amended, except the Local Arrangements, Program, Clinic and Exhibits Committees, shall continue in effect until the annual meeting next succeeding the adoption of this *Constitution and Bylaws,* at which time the terms of all sitting committee members shall terminate. In the interim, between the annual meeting at which this *Constitution and Bylaws* is adopted and the annual meeting next succeeding the adoption of this *Constitution and Bylaws,* the Local Arrangements, Program, Clinic and Exhibits Committees shall be appointed by the Executive Council.

Section 3. SCHEDULE:

A. Articles, I, II, III, VI, VII and VIII of this *Constitution* shall take effect immediately after the adjournment of the annual meeting at which they are adopted.

B. Articles IV and V of this *Constitution* shall take effect at the opening of the annual meeting next succeeding the annual meeting at which they are adopted.

C. Article IX of this *Constitution* shall take effect immediately at the adjournment of the meeting at which it is adopted and shall terminate as soon as its purpose has been accomplished.

D. Chapters I, II, III, IV, V, XII, XIII, XV, XVI (Sections 2, 3, 4, 5) and XVII of the *Bylaws* shall take effect immediately upon the adjournment of the annual meeting at which adopted.

E. Chapters VI, VII, VIII, IX, X, XI, XIV, XVI (Section 1), XVIII and XIX of the *Bylaws* shall take effect at the opening of the annual meeting next succeeding the annual meeting at which they are adopted.

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OF THE ILLINOIS STATE DENTAL SOCIETY

CHAPTER I - MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. CLASSIFICATION:

The members of this Society shall be classified as follows:

Active
Fellow
Life
Retired
Affiliate
Associate
Honorary
Student

Section 2. QUALIFICATIONS:

A. ACTIVE MEMBER. A dentist licensed to practice in Illinois, who is a member in good standing of this Society, a member in good standing of one of its component societies and a member in good standing of the American Dental Association, shall be classified as an active member of this Society.

B. FELLOW. An active member of this Society who has maintained such classification in good standing for twenty-five (25) consecutive years shall be classified as a fellow of this Society as long as he continues in good standing or until he becomes a life member.

C. LIFE MEMBER. An active member attaining age sixty-five (65) and having thirty-five (35) years of membership, not necessarily consecutive, shall become a life member of this Society. Maintenance of life membership is conditional upon continuance of membership in good standing in the appropriate component society and in the American Dental Association. A life member in good standing shall receive a certificate of life membership. He shall be exempt from further payment of dues, due this Society. He shall be entitled to all privileges of an active member except that, due to postal regulations, he shall pay a special annual subscription rate for the *Illinois Dental Journal*. He shall be eligible for election to any office and shall be governed by all the rules of this and his component society, whether retired from or still engaged in active practice.

D. RETIRED MEMBER. Retired membership may be obtained by written application, direct to this Society and approved by the Executive Council, by any active member retired from active practice. A retired member shall be entitled to all privileges of a life member except the right to hold office in this Society.

E. Affiliate Member. An active or life member of any constituent society of the American Dental Association, other than the Illinois State Dental Society, or an ethical dentist practicing in any country other than the United States who is a member of a recognized dental organization in such country, shall be eligible for affiliate membership and shall be so classified when nominated and elected by the Executive Council.

F. Associate Member. A member of an allied profession who contributes to the advancement of dentistry shall be eligible for associate membership and shall be so classified when nominated and elected by the Executive Council.

G. Honorary Member. An individual who has made outstanding contributions to the advancement of the art and science of dentistry shall be eligible for honorary membership and shall be so classified when nominated by the Executive Council and elected by the legislative body.

H. Student Member. A student member of the American Dental Association who is attending a dental school chartered by the State of Illinois or who upon graduation immediately continues with internship, residency or graduate work in an Illinois institution shall be classified as a student member of this Society. He may become an active member by complying with the provisions in Chapter I, Section 2A of these *Bylaws*.

Section 3. In Good Standing: A member of this Society who is not under final sentence of suspension or expulsion and whose dues for the current calendar year are paid by March 31 of that year, or who is exempt from payment of dues, shall be considered a member in good standing.

Section 4. Privileges:

A. Active Member. An active member in good standing shall be eligible for election or appointment to any office, committee, council or similar position in the Society. He shall receive each issue of the *Illinois Dental Journal*. He shall be entitled to admission to any scientific session of this Society and to such other services as are provided by the Society.

B. Fellow. A fellow in good standing shall receive a certificate designating him as a fellow of this Society. He shall be entitled to all the privileges of an active member.

C. Life Member. A life member in good standing shall receive a certificate of life membership. He shall be entitled to all the privileges of an active member, except that he shall not receive the *Illinois Dental Journal* except upon payment of a special annual subscription rate.

D. Retired Member. A retired member shall be entitled to all privileges of a life member except the right to hold office in the Society. He shall not receive the *Illinois Dental Journal* except upon payment of a special annual subscription rate.

E. Affiliate Member. An affiliate member in good standing shall receive an affiliate membership card. He shall not receive the *Illinois Dental Journal* except upon payment of the annual subscription rate. He shall be entitled to admission to any scientific session of this Society and to such other services as may be approved by the Executive Council.

F. Associate Member. An associate member in good standing shall receive an associate membership card. He shall not receive the *Illinois Dental Journal* except upon payment of the annual subscription rate. He shall be entitled to admission to any scientific session of this Society and to such other services as may be approved by the Executive Council.

G. Honorary Member. An honorary member shall receive a certificate of honorary membership. He shall not receive the *Illinois Dental Journal* except upon payment of the annual subscription rate. He shall be entitled to admission to any scientific session of this Society and to such other services as may be provided by the Executive Council.

H. Student Member. A student member of the American Dental Association shall be entitled to admission to any scientific session of this Society. He shall not receive the *Illinois Dental Journal* except upon payment of the annual subscription rate.

Section 5. Membership Dues and Assessments: The component society secretary shall send the membership cards, dues and assessments of the individual members to the State Secretary as they are received, and when those dues and assessments are credited on the State Secretary's records,

the membership of the individual member shall be established.

Dues shall include the annual subscription to the *Illinois Dental Journal* and the annual dues in the American Dental Association. Any member whose dues and assessments are unpaid by March 31 of the current year shall not be in good standing and shall be considered delinquent.

In addition to the annual dues, the membership, at the annual meeting, may vote an assessment for specific purposes and fix the date when such assessment shall be paid. No assessment or total of assessments in any calendar year shall exceed the annual dues.

A. Active Members. The dues of active members shall be twenty-five dollars ($25.00) due January 1 of each year.

B. Fellows. The dues of fellows shall be twenty-five dollars ($25.00) due January 1 of each year.

C. Life Members. Life members shall be exempt from payment of dues to this Society, but shall pay dues to the component society and the American Dental Association unless such dues are waived.

D. Retired Members. Retired members shall be exempt from payment of dues to this Society.

E. Affiliate Members. The dues of affiliate members shall be five dollars ($5.00) due January 1 of each year.

F. Associate Members. The dues of associate members shall be five dollars ($5.00) due January 1 of each year.

G. Honorary Members. Honorary members shall be exempt from payment of dues to this Society.

H. Student Members. Student members shall be exempt from payment of dues to this Society.

I. Journal Subscription. The subscription price of the *Illinois Dental Journal* shall be included in the annual dues prescribed above for all active and fellow members. Life, Retired, Affiliate, Associate, Honorary and Student members shall pay an annual subscription price.

J. Temporary Dues Exemption. Certain members of this Society shall be granted temporary exemption from payment of dues.

a. *Members on Relief.* A member of this Society, while receiving assistance from the Relief Fund of this Society, shall be exempt from payment of dues.

b. *Members in Federal Dental Service.* An active member or fellow of this Society, temporarily on active duty with a federal dental service on a noncareer basis, shall be exempt from the payment of dues during the period of such duty.

c. *New Graduates.* New graduates shall be exempt from payment of dues for the balance of the year of graduation, and for the year following graduation the annual dues shall be American Dental Association dues only.

CHAPTER II - PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT.

The "Principles of Ethics of the American Dental Association," the *Standards of Ethics and Rules of Conduct of the Illinois State Dental Society,* which may be referred to hereinafter as the *Code of Ethics,* and the code of ethics of the component society within whose jurisdiction he practices shall govern the professional conduct of every member.

Section 1. Misconduct Charges: An active member, a fellow, a life member, or the Executive Council of this Society may bring a complaint against any member of this Society for (1) having been found guilty of a felony, (2) having been found guilty of violating the Dental Practice Act of Illinois or, (3) violating these *Bylaws,* the "Principles of Ethics of the American Dental Association," the *Standards of Ethics and Rules of Conduct of the Illinois State Dental Society* or the code of ethics of his component society. Any such complaint shall be transmitted in writing to the secretary of the component society of which the accused is a member.

Section 2. Disciplinary Penalties: A member may be placed under a sentence of censure, probation or suspension or may be expelled from membership for any of the offenses enumerated in Section 1 of this Chapter. A sentence of suspension shall not abrogate any contractual relationship between the disciplined member and a third party.

Section 3. Disciplinary Proceedings: Before a disciplinary penalty is invoked against a member the following procedures shall be followed by the component society bringing a complaint:

A. Hearing. The accused member shall be entitled to a hearing at which he shall be given the opportunity to present his defense to all complaints brought against him.

B. Notice. The accused member shall be notified in writing of complaints brought against him and of the time and place of the hearing, such notice to be sent by registered letter addressed to his last known address and mailed not less than thirty (30) days prior to the date set for the hearing.

C. Complaint. The written complaints shall include an officially certified copy of the alleged conviction or determination of guilt, or a specification of the bylaw or ethical provisions alleged to have been violated, as the case may be, and a description of the conduct alleged to constitute each violation.

D. Decision. Every decision which shall result in censure, probation, suspension or expulsion shall be reduced to writing and shall specify the complaints made against the member, the facts which substantiate any or all of the complaints, the verdict rendered, the penalty imposed, and a notice shall be mailed to the accused member informing him of his right of appeal. Within ten (10) days of the date on which the decision is rendered, a copy thereof shall be sent by registered mail to the last known address of each of the following parties: the accused member; the secretary of the component society of which he is a member; the Secretary of this Society; the chairman of the Committee on Judicial Procedure of this Society; the chairman of the Judicial Council of the American Dental Association and the Secretary of the American Dental Association.

Section 4. Appeals. An accused member under sentence of censure, probation, suspension or expulsion for having been found guilty of (1) a felony, (2) violating the Dental Practice Act of the State of Illinois or (3) violating these *Bylaws*, the "Principles of Ethics of the American Dental Association," the *Code of Ethics* of the Illinois State Dental Society or the code of ethics of the component society of which he is a member, shall have the right to appeal from a decision of his component society to the Committee on Judicial Procedure of this Society by filing an appeal in affidavit form with the Secretary of this Society. Such an accused member shall have the right to appeal from a decision of this Society to the Judicial Council of the American Dental Association by filing an appeal in affidavit form with the chairman of the Judicial Council of that Association.

Such an accused member, the State Society or the component society concerned shall have the right to appeal from a decision of the Judicial Council of the American Dental Association to the House of Delegates of that Association by filing an appeal in affidavit form with the secretary of the House of Delegates, (the Secretary of the American Dental Association). An appeal from any decision shall not be valid unless filed within ninety (90) days after such decision has been rendered. No decision shall become final while an appeal therefrom is pending or until the ninety (90) day period for perfecting an appeal has elapsed. The following procedure shall be used in processing appeals:

A. Hearings on Appeal. The accused member of the component society concerned shall be entitled to a hearing on an appeal, provided that such appeal is taken in accordance with, and satisfies the requirements of Section 4 of this Chapter.

B. Notice. The agency receiving an appeal shall notify the society concerned and the accused member of the time and place of the hearing, such notice to be sent by registered letter to the last known address of the parties to the appeal and mailed not less than thirty (30) days prior to the date set for the hearing.

C. Briefs. Every party to an appeal shall be entitled to submit a brief in support of his or its position. The party initiating the appeal shall submit his or its brief to the Secretary of this Society or the chairman of the Judicial Council of the American Dental Association and the Secretary of the American Dental Association, as the case may be, within ninety (90) days of the date upon which the decision appealed from was rendered.

D. Record of Disciplinary Proceedings. Upon notice of an appeal the component society which preferred charges shall furnish to this Society and to the accused member a transcript of, or an officially certified copy of, the minutes of the hearing accorded the accused member. The transcript or minutes shall be accompanied by certified copies of any affi-

davits or other documents submitted as evidence to support the charges against the accused member or submitted by the accused member as a part of his defense. Where the society preferring charges does not provide for transcription of the hearing, the accused member, at his own expense, shall be entitled to arrange for the services of a court reporter to transcribe the hearing.

E. Appeals Jurisdiction. The agency to which a decision has been appealed shall be required to review the decision appealed from to determine whether the evidence before the society which preferred charges against the accused member supports that decision or warrants the penalty imposed. The appeal agency shall not be required to consider additional evidence unless there is a clear showing that either party to the appeal will be unreasonably harmed by failure to consider the additional evidence.

F. Decisions on Appeals. Every decision on appeal shall be reduced to writing and shall state clearly the conclusion of the appeal agency and the reasons for reaching that conclusion. The appeal agency shall have the discretion (1) to uphold the decision of the society which brought complaints against the accused member; (2) to reverse the decision of the society which brought complaints and thereby exonerate the accused member; (3) to deny an appeal which fails to satisfy the requirements of Section 4 of this Chapter; (4) to refer the case back to the society which brought complaints for new proceedings, if the rights of the accused member under all applicable bylaws were not accorded him or (5) to refer the case back to the society which brought complaints with a recommendation to mete out a lesser penalty.

Within ten (10) days of the date on which a decision on appeal is rendered, a copy thereof shall be sent by registered mail to the last known address of each of the following parties: the accused member, the secretary of the component society of which he is a member, the Secretary of this Society, the chairman of the Judicial Council of the American Dental Association and the Secretary of the American Dental Association.

CHAPTER III - COMPONENT SOCIETIES

Section 1. Organization: A component society may be organized and chartered, subject to the approval of the Executive Council, upon the application of at least twenty-five (25) dentists practicing in any prescribed territory in Illinois, who are active, fellow or life members, in good standing, of this Society. The Secretary of this Society is authorized to issue a charter, in a form approved by the Executive Council, to each component society denoting its name and territorial jurisdiction. No such society shall be chartered in any prescribed territory in Illinois in which a component society is already chartered by this Society. The Executive Council may at any time, for good and sufficient cause, revoke the charter of any component society.

Section 2. Name: Each component society shall be given a name in conformity with a recommendation made by the governing body of such component society subject to the approval of the Executive Council.

Section 3. Powers and Duties:

A. A component society shall have the power to elect its members and to elect its fully privileged members as active members of this Society within the limits imposed by Section 4 of this Chapter.

B. It shall have the power to organize its members into branch societies within the limits imposed by Chapter III of the *Bylaws*.

C. It shall have the power to provide for its financial support and to make laws, rules and regulations to govern its members, provided such laws, rules and regulations do not conflict with these *Bylaws*.

D. It shall have the duty to conduct the trials of members against whom misconduct charges have been filed, in accordance with Chapter II of these *Bylaws*. Any member who may feel aggrieved at the action of a component society toward him, shall have the right to appeal to the Committee on Judicial Procedure of this Society.

E. It shall have the power to discipline any of its members by censure, probation, suspension or expulsion in conformity with Chapter II of these *Bylaws*.

F. The secretary of each component society shall keep a roster of its members and endeavor to obtain a complete list of the dentists within the jurisdiction of that society who are eligible for membership. He shall collect and send to the Secretary of this Society the annual dues of this Society and the American Dental Association for each member of the component society as soon after January 1 as is practical, in conformity with Chapter I, Section 5 of these *Bylaws*, and Chapter I, Section 50 of the "Bylaws of the American Dental Association."

Section 4. MEMBERSHIP: The fully privileged membership of each component society shall be limited to dentists practicing within the territorial jurisdiction of such component society or to dentists in federal dental service, provided that such dentists are fully privileged members in good standing of this Society and the American Dental Association. Any dentist who has retired from active practice or who is engaged in activities furthering the object of this Society may be considered to be practicing dentistry within the meaning of this section.

When a member in good standing of one component society changes his residence in this State, his name may be transferred without cost to the roster of the component society into whose jurisdiction he moves, providing he is acceptable to the members of the receiving component society. A member shall pay his dues to the component society in whose jurisdiction he practices, even though he affiliates with another component society.

Section 5. OFFICERS: The officers of a component society shall be president, secretary, treasurer and such others as may be prescribed in its constitution and bylaws.

Section 6. BUSINESS SESSIONS: A component society shall hold a business session at least once each calendar year. Each component society shall nominate and elect its officers, who shall take office June 1 of each year.

Section 7. PRINCIPLES AND CODE OF ETHICS: The "Principles of Ethics of the American Dental Association," the *Code of Ethics* of this Society and the code of ethics adopted by the component society shall be the instruments used for governing the professional conduct of the members of a component society.

Section 8. CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS: Each component society shall adopt and maintain a constitution and bylaws which shall be revised regularly and shall not be in conflict with the *Constitution and Bylaws* of this Society or that of the American Dental Association and shall file a copy thereof, and any changes or revisions which may be made thereafter, with the Secretary of this Society.

CHAPTER IV - BRANCH SOCIETIES

Branch societies of a component society may be organized in conformity with a plan approved by the component society of which they will be recognized entities. The fully privileged members of each branch society shall be dentists who are members in good standing of the component society, this Society and the American Dental Association.

CHAPTER V - DISTRICTS

This Society shall be composed of three (3) groups divided into seven (7) districts, composed of component societies and designated as follows:

GROUP 1

Northwestern District. Component societies: Rock Island, Whiteside-Lee, Winnebago, Northwest. Councilmen, one (1).

Northeastern District. Component societies: Kankakee, Will-Grundy, LaSalle, Fox River Valley. Councilmen, one (1).

Central District. Component societies: Peoria, McLean. Councilmen, one (1).

GROUP 2

Central Western District. Component societies: G. V. Black, T. L. Gilmer, Prairie Valley. Councilmen, one (1).

Central Eastern District. Component societies: Decatur, Eastern Illinois, Danville, Illini. Councilmen, one (1).

Southern District. Component societies: Madison, Southern Illinois, St. Clair, Wabash River. Councilmen, one (1).

GROUP 3

Chicago District. Component society: Chicago. Councilmen, six (6).

CHAPTER VI - EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

Section 1. COMPOSITION: The Executive Council shall consist of the President, President-Elect, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer and twelve (12) elected councilmen: three (3) elected by Group 1, three (3) elected by Group 2, and six (6) elected by Group 3.

Section 2. ELECTION:

A. At the business meeting on the third day of the annual session, the Society shall elect a President-Elect, Vice-President, Secretary and a Treasurer. Nominations shall be made from the floor. No nominating speech shall exceed three (3) minutes in length. Seconding speeches for any nominee shall be limited to one (1) minute in length and two (2) in number. Voting shall be by official ballot and the Secretary shall provide facilities for voting and for the certification of each voter. The candidate receiving the largest number of votes shall be considered elected.

B. No member shall be eligible to an elective office who has been a member of this Society for less than five (5) years.

C. Officers and executive councilmen elected shall be installed and assume their duties at the termination of the last meeting of the annual session at which they are elected.

D. At the same time and place of said election the members present from each district shall assemble in three (3) groups. Group 1 and Group 2 shall each elect one (1) member of the Council to serve a term of three (3) years. Group 3 shall elect two (2) members of the Council to serve a term of three (3) years.

E. A member of the Council, having served a full term, shall not be eligible for a period of three (3) years for reelection.

F. Each component society in a district shall in turn be represented on the Council in rotation.

Secton 3. POWERS AND DUTIES:

A. The Executive Council shall administer the business of this Society. Any member of the Society desiring to bring any matter of business before the Council may do so in writing, and may appear in behalf of such measure by consent of the Executive Council. A majority shall constitute a quorum. The "Standing Rules of the Executive Council," as adopted by the Council, shall govern procedure. The Council shall meet as prescribed in Chapter XIV, Sections 2, 3 and 4 of the *Bylaws*.

B. It shall appoint the Editor and all standing committees except the Committee on Committees, and Committee on the Annual Session and shall also select the place of the annual session. In case of a vacancy in the office of both President and Vice-President, the Executive Council shall elect a president *pro tem*.

C. It shall pass on the expenditures of all money by the Society. It may authorize certain officers or committees to expend monies for specific purposes, but all monies appropriated by this Society, except that incurred for actual operating expenses, shall, upon recommendation by the Council, have the approval of a majority vote of the members present at a regular annual meeting.

D. It shall make provision for a special fund to be set aside and used as a relief fund for the purposes set forth in Chapter XVI, Section 5 of the *Bylaws* of this Society.

E. It may delegate its authority and power to the Ad Interim Committee of the Executive Council by a majority vote of the entire Council. In the event such authority and power is granted, said Ad Interim Committee shall administer the business of the Society during intervals between semi-annual and special meetings of the Executive Council.

F. It shall appoint a publication committee which shall manage, direct and carry into effect all the duties necessary to the publication of any document of the Society, subject to the order or approval of the Executive Council.

G. It shall perform such other duties as are prescribed by these *Bylaws*.

CHAPTER VII - ELECTIVE OFFICERS

Section 1. NUMBER AND TITLE: The elective officers of this Society shall be five (5) in number: President, President-Elect, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer, as provided in Article V, Section 1 of the *Constitution*.

Section 2. NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS: The elective officers shall be nominated and elected in accordance with Chapter VI, Section 2 of the *Bylaws.*

Section 3. DUTIES:

A. PRESIDENT. It shall be the duty of the President:

a. To preside at all meetings of the Society and the Executive Council.

b. To exercise a general supervision of both and at each annual session address the Society by written essay on some subject connected with the duties of the profession.

c. To be *ex-officio* a member of all standing committees and appoint to serve during his term of office the Committee on the Annual Session, Committee on Committees and all other committees not otherwise provided for.

d. To fill by appointment vacancies occurring in committees for unexpired terms.

e. To vote in Council meetings only in case of a tie.

f. To perform such other duties of a presiding officer as usually appertain to the office.

g. To be a delegate *ex-officio* to the American Dental Association.

B. PRESIDENT-ELECT. It shall be the duty of the President-Elect:

a. To be *ex-officio* a member of the Executive Council and the Ad Interim Committee.

b. To assist the President as requested.

c. To succeed to the office of President without other election.

d. To be a delegate *ex-officio* to the American Dental Association.

C. VICE-PRESIDENT. It shall be the duty of the Vice-President:

a. To assist the President as requested.

b. In the absence of the President, or at his request, to preside over all meetings of this Society and the Executive Council.

c. To succeed to the office of President in case of vacancy for any cause and serve as President for the remainder of the fiscal year of the Society.

D. SECRETARY. It shall be the duty of the Secretary:

a. To give a bond in amount as required by the Executive Council before entering upon his duties.

b. To keep the records of the Society and the Executive Council, notify all officers and committeemen in writing of their election and perform such duties as usually appertain to the office.

c. To collect all money due the Society and pay same to the Treasurer.

d. To send the Secretary of the American Dental Association a list of active and life members of the Society in good standing, with a voucher for their dues, and a list of the delegates and alternates to the House of Delegates of the American Dental Association.

e. To be a delegate *ex-officio* to the American Dental Association.

f. To employ a competent person to report the proceedings and discussions of the annual meeting and to arrange for the publication of the Transactions of the Society.

g. To supervise and coordinate the activities of all committees in regard to their specific assignments and systematize the preparation of all reports of all such committees.

h. To submit to the Executive Council at the annual meeting a report of his receipts and disbursements as audited by a Certified Public Accountant, whose selection shall be approved by the President.

i. To turn over to his successors all monies, books, papers and other properties of the office within thirty (30) days after the installation and qualification of his successor.

E. TREASURER. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer:

a. To receive and keep all monies belonging to the Society, and pay all current operating expenses on the written order of the President and Secretary. In the absence or incapacity of either officer the signature of the Vice-President shall be substituted.

b. To give a bond in the amount required by the Executive Council before entering upon his duties.

c. To submit to the Executive Council at the annual session a report of his receipts and disbursements as audited by a Certified Public Accountant whose selection shall be approved by the President.

d. To turn over to his successor all monies, books, papers and other properties of the office within thirty (30) days after the installation and qualification of his successor.

e. To be a delegate *ex-officio* to the American Dental Association.

CHAPTER VIII - APPOINTIVE OFFICER

Section 1. NUMBER AND TITLE: The appointive officer of this Society shall be one (1) in number: the Editor, as provided in Article V, Section 2 of the *Constitution.*

Section 2. DUTIES: It shall be the duty of the Editor:

a. To be the editor-in-chief of the *Illinois Dental Journal* and, as such, to exercise full editorial control over such publication subject only to policies and procedures established by the Executive Council or these *Bylaws.*

b. To perform such other duties as are prescribed by the Executive Council or these *Bylaws.*

CHAPTER IX - STANDING COMMITTEES

Section 1. NUMBER AND NAME: The standing committees of this Society shall be fourteen (14) in number as follows:

Committee on the Annual Session
Committee on Continuing Study
Committee on Dental Health
Committee on Dental Trade, Laboratory Relations and Auxiliary Personnel
Committee on Federal Dental Services
Committee on Group Dental Health Care
Committee on Hospital Dental Services
Committee on Insurance
Committee on Interprofessional Relations
Committee on Judicial Procedures
Committee on Legislation
Committee on Membership
Committee on Public Welfare
Committee on Relief

Section 2. COMPOSITION: Standing committees will vary in number of members due to the assigned duties of each committee. The membership of committees will be five (5) in number, unless otherwise specified in Section 9 of this Chapter. When committee members are allotted according to districts of the Society, the membership will be greater.

Section 3. QUALIFICATIONS: Each member of a committee must be an active, fellow or life member in good standing of this Society and a fully privileged member of one of the component societies which compose the district he is elected to represent. Should the status of any member change in regard to the preceding qualifications during his term of office, that office shall be declared vacant and the President shall fill such vacancy as provided in Section 8 of this Chapter of the *Bylaws.*

Section 4. TERM OF OFFICE: The members of each committee, except the Committee on the Annual Session, shall be divided into three (3) groups of two (2), two (2) and one (1) respectively, each group to serve for a period of three (3) years. One (1) group shall be elected annually.

Section 5. NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS: Nominations for all committee members shall be made by the President-Elect upon advice of the members of the Society through recommendations to the executive councilman elected to represent them and the Committee on Committees. Additional nominations may be made by any member of the Executive Council during the annual meeting of the Council. Election shall be by majority vote of the members of the Executive Council present and voting.

Section 6. CHAIRMEN: One (1) member of each committee, except the Committee on the Annual Session, shall be appointed annually by the Executive Council to serve as chairman.

Section 7. QUORUM: A majority of the total number of members of any committee shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

Section 8. VACANCY: In the event of a vacancy in the membership of any committee, except the Committee on the Annual Session, the President shall appoint a member of the Society possessing the same qualifications established by these *Bylaws* for the previous member, to fill such vacancy until a successor is elected by the next Executive Council for the remainder of the unexpired term. In the event such vacancy involves the chairman of a committee, the President shall have the power to appoint an *ad interim* chairman to serve until the next meeting of the Executive Council.

Section 9. DUTIES:

A. COMMON DUTIES OF ALL COMMITTEES.

a. *Standing Rules.* The "Standing Rules for Committees," as approved by the Executive Council, shall be followed in all committee meetings and for the administration of all committees.

b. *Proposed Budget.* Each committee shall submit in writing to the Executive Council, through the Secretary's office, a proposed itemized budget of anticipated expenditures for the ensuing year, at a time specified by the Executive Council.

c. *Annual Report.* Each committee shall submit, through the Secretary's office, an annual written report of its activities to the Executive Council at a time specified by the Executive Council.

d. *Privilege.* Chairmen and members of committees who are not members of the Executive Council shall have the right to present their reports in person to the Executive Council and to participate in the debate thereon, but shall not have the right to vote.

B. COMMITTEE ON THE ANNUAL SESSION. The Committee shall consist of five (5) active members in good standing of this Society. They shall be appointed annually by the President and one (1) member shall be designated by him to serve as chairman. The Committee shall be divided into the following sub committees: Program, Clinic, Commercial and Scientific Exhibits, and Local Arrangements. The remaining four (4) members of the Committee on the Annual Session shall be assigned the chairmanships of the four (4) sub committees and shall be empowered to appoint whatever additional members are necessary to their sub committee. The President-Elect shall name and organize the Committee on the Annual Session which shall serve during his administration in advance of his induction into the office of President, in order to facilitate the satisfactory performance of its duty of submitting to the Executive Council a proposed budget of anticipated expenditures for the ensuing fiscal year.

It shall be the duty of the Committee on the Annual Session to serve as the general arrangements committee for the annual scientific session of the Society. It shall have full power to arrange for the presentation of the program, scientific essays, clinics, exhibits and any other events, subject only to the limitation of the budget of anticipated expenditures for the ensuing fiscal year.

C. COMMITTEE ON CONTINUING STUDY. The duties of the Committee shall be:

a. To prepare plans for courses of study to be sponsored by the Society, to assist in planning and partially financing district meetings, and present same for action of the Executive Council in conformity with policies adopted by the Council.

b. To arrange for the presentation of approved programs of continuing study sponsored by the Society.

c. To prepare and maintain a current list of speakers and essayists who are available for the programs of component societies.

D. COMMITTEE ON DENTAL HEALTH. The Committee shall consist of a chairman and such additional members as the Executive Council shall deem necessary. The chairman shall select two (2) members of the Committee to act with him in an executive capacity to expedite any business of the Committee which may need early or immediate attention; one of these to be designated as vice chairman; the other as secretary. The duties of the Committee shall be:

a. To conduct studies relative to the dental health needs of the public and of proposed plans to meet such needs, other than those assigned to another committee by the Executive Council.

b. To formulate programs for promoting dental health which shall be submitted to the Executive Council for action in conformity with policies adopted by the legislative body.

c. To assist component societies in the development of policies and programs for the improvement of the dental health of the public within their jurisdiction, and to compile an annual report of activities of each component to be submitted to the Council.

d. To establish and maintain relations with other agencies in Illinois interested in programs for the improvement of better health.

e. To maintain a comprehensive program of dental health education services through close cooperation with the Dental Division of the Department of Public Health of the State of Illinois.

E. Committee on Dental Trade, Laboratory Relations and Auxiliary Personnel. The duties of the Committee shall be:

a. To encourage and develop satisfactory relations with the various organizations representing the auxiliary dental personnel, such as dental assistants, dental hygienists, dental laboratories, dental technicians and dental trades.

b. To formulate plans for establishing and maintaining greater efficiency of the dental auxiliary personnel in their relation to the dental profession and to submit such plans to the Executive Council for action in conformity with policies adopted by the legislative body.

F. Committee on Federal Dental Services. The duties of the Committee shall be:

a. To cooperate and maintain liaison with agencies which administer the veterans program, any type of dental care to military dependents and the Selective Service System.

b. To recommend to the Executive Council for action in conformity with policies adopted by the legislative body of this Society and the House of Delegates of the American Dental Association procedures and fee schedules related to any programs subsidized by a government agency, other than those assigned to the Committee on Dental Health by the Executive Council.

G. Committee on Group Dental Health Care. The duties of the Committee shall be:

a. To study all group dental health care programs, except those proposed for members and dependents of the armed forces, and to cooperate with organizations requesting the establishment of such programs in order that the best interests of the public and the profession of dentistry be served.

b. To keep the Society informed on developments of dental service corporations, contract and group dentistry, and all other forms of dental practice which may be produced by the ever changing social conditions of the country, with particular reference to the dental welfare of the citizens of this State.

H. Committee on Hospital Dental Services. The duties of the Committee shall be:

a. To cooperate with the Council on Hospital Dental Service of the American Dental Association and perform such duties as requested by this council insofar as establishing and maintaining basic standards in dental departments of hospitals in the State of Illinois.

b. To aid wherever possible in establishing dental staffs in the hospitals of Illinois.

I. Committee on Insurance. The duties of the Committee shall be to consider the problem of insuring the members of this Society for their protection in any manner whatsoever and make recommendations regarding such plans to the Executive Council for approval.

J. Committee on Interprofessional Relations. The duties of the Committee shall be to cooperate with other agencies of the healing arts profession relative to advancing the health of the public.

K. Committee on Judicial Procedure. The duties of the Committee shall be:

a. To consider any dispute arising between an applicant for membership and a component society that is appealed and refer, with recommendations, to the Executive Council.

b. To consider any appeal from the action of a component society in case of alleged professional misconduct by one of its members and refer same, with recommendations, to the Executive Council.

L. Committee on Legislation. The duties of the Committee shall be:

a. To protect the dental health of the citizens of Illinois and further the interests of the public and the dental profession in matters of legislation. The committee shall prepare and secure the introduction of bills or amendments relative to the practice of dentistry, provided such bills or amendments shall have first been submitted to and approved by the Executive Council.

b. To keep informed as to the character of all bills introduced in the Legislature affecting the practice of dentistry, the good of the profession or the public welfare.

c. To use all proper influence to secure the passage of such bills as are beneficial and the defeat of such as are detrimental to public health but, except in emergency, shall confer with and receive the approval of the Executive Council or the Ad Interim Committee before taking action.

d. To recommend to the Executive Council for action nominees for presentation to the Governor for appointment to membership on the Illinois Dental Examining Committee.

e. A contact committee shall organize the Society for legislative purposes and be a subcommittee of the Committee on Legislation, consisting of the Secretary of the Society, who shall be chairman. He shall be authorized to select members of the Society to act as contact men to legislators in the Congressional and the State Senatorial and Representative Districts. It shall be the duty of this subcommittee to enlist the cooperation of the members of the Society throughout the State to exert their influence for passage or defeat of pending legislation. This subcommittee shall assist and act in conjunction with the Committee on Legislation.

M. Committee on Membership. The Committee shall consist of a chairman and seven (7) district superintendents, one (1) from each of the seven (7) districts. The duties of the Committee shall be:

a. To study membership problems of the Society and formulate plans for maintaining and increasing the membership of the Society. Such plans shall be submitted to the Executive Council for action.

b. To cooperate with the membership agency of each component society in conducting campaigns for new members.

c. To assist the Secretary's office in contacting delinquent members, urging reinstatement of membership.

N. Committee on Public Welfare. The Committee shall be composed of fourteen (14) members, two (2) from each of the seven (7) districts. The chairman shall be designated each year by the Executive Council. The chairman shall select two (2) members of the Committee to act with him in an executive capacity to expedite any business of the Committee which may need early or immediate attention, one (1) of these to be designated as vice-chairman; the other, as secretary. The duties of the Committee shall be:

a. To hold two (2) regular meetings each year, one (1) during the annual session of the Society.

b. To maintain liaison with the Illinois Public Aid Program for the purpose of advising this agency regarding the administration of an adequate dental program.

c. To initiate surveys of the Illinois Welfare and Public Safety dental programs in the interest of improving the type and amount of service rendered in both mental and penal institutions.

d. To seek cooperation with the Dental Division of the Illinois Department of Public Health in implementing activities in the above stated institutions.

O. Committee on Relief. The Committee shall consist of three (3) or more members. The Secretary of the Society shall be *ex-officio* the secretary of the Committee on Relief, and he shall keep a complete record of the proceedings of this Committee. The duties of the Committee shall be:

a. To formulate plans for administering the relief program of this Society and submit such plans to the Executive Council for action.

b. To cooperate with the Council on Relief of the American Dental Association as requested in publicizing the annual relief fund campaign of that association among the members of this Society.

c. To investigate, review and approve or disapprove applications for relief of a dentist or his dependents and survivors presented by a component society and transmit same to the American Dental Association.

d. To use whatever number of investigators is necessary to investigate thoroughly each application for relief. All expenses incurred in the operation of this Committee and its investigations are to be charged to the Relief Fund.

Section 10. Commission for Protection of Public Dental Health:

A. Composition. The Commission shall be a permanent commission and shall consist of seven (7) members; four (4) to be appointed by the President of the Illinois State Dental Society, one (1) of whom shall be the chairman of the Committee on Legislation and one (1) of whom shall be designated as chairman of the Commission, and three (3) to be appointed by the president of the Chicago Dental Society. At least one (1) member of the Executive Council of this Society and at least one (1) member of the Board of Directors of the Chicago Dental Society shall be current members of the Commission. Consultants to the Commission shall be the Secretary of this Society, the Executive Secretary of the Chicago Dental Society and the Program Director of this Society.

B. Term of Office. Each member shall remain on the Commission for three (3) years and may be reappointed by the President of the society from which the original appointment was made. Membership on the Commission shall be as continuous as feasible.

C. Duties.

a. To find and devise ways and means of further protecting the dental health of the public from the hazard of dental service by those who are not licensed to practice dentistry and to recommend to the Executive Council any legislative changes that might strengthen the Dental Practice Act.

b. To cooperate closely with all component societies, and to serve as a clearing house for their law violation problems; to coordinate, advise and assist them in all law enforcement efforts.

c. To weigh and investigate all requests for action against alleged Dental Practice Act violators. Such action shall be initiated at the component level only after clearance with the Commission and financed from the Commission's budget; payments from this fund to be approved by the President, Secretary and Treasurer of the Society, who will sign the vouchers for such payments.

d. To cooperate with all law enforcement agencies, local, state and federal; to cooperate closely with the Illinois Department of Registration and Education and with the Illinois Dental Examining Committee.

e. Activities of the Commission will be under the authority of the Executive Council. The Commission shall report, through the Secretary of the Society, to the Executive Council at its regular meetings in January and May, or more frequently as conditions may warrant.

CHAPTER X - COMMITTEES OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

Section 1. Number and Name: The Executive Council is organized into six (6) standing committees and such special committees as may be established from time to time. The standing committees shall be:

Ad Interim Committee
Committee on Committees
District and Component Relations Committee
Finance and Planning Committee
Publication Committee
Resolutions Committee

Section 2. Meetings: All committees shall be subject to the call of the chairman or any two (2) members.

Section 3. Ad Interim Committee: The Ad Interim Committee shall consist of the President, President-Elect, Secretary, Treasurer and two (2) members of the Executive Council.

It shall be the duty of this Committee, when in the opinion of the President and Secretary a meeting of the entire Executive Council seems impractical, to govern and transact the business of the Society during the intervals between its regular meetings. Actions of the Ad Interim Committee must be reported to the Executive Council for final action.

Section 4. Committee on Committees: The Committee shall consist of the President-Elect, who shall serve as chairman, and three (3) other members of the Executive Council appointed by the President thirty (30) days preceding the meeting of the Executive Council called to elect standing committees and/or delegates and alternates.

It shall be the duty of this Committee to assist the President-Elect in submitting nominations to the Executive Council for election to standing committees of the Society and the delegates and alternates to the American Dental Association.

Section 5. District and Component Relations Committee: The Committee shall consist of an appointed chairman and seven (7) councilmen, geographically located in order to maintain close liaison with all components of the Society.

It shall be the duty of each member of this Committee to make periodic visits, at least once a year, to all components in his district in order to maintain close liaison; to assist in the formation of district meetings throughout the State; and to recommend and assist in the program of the annual Component Officers Conference and such other meetings as the Committee may be called upon for advice and assistance.

Section 6. Finance and Planning Committee: The Committee shall consist of the President, President-Elect, Secretary, Treasurer and three (3) appointed members of the Executive Council. The term of office of

the Councilmen shall be for three (3) years, with the senior Councilman acting as chairman.

It shall be the duty of this Committee to supervise:

a. Fiscal policies.

b. Investments and expenditures.

c. Preparation of the annual budget for presentation at the annual business session.

d. Inspection of finances, leases and quarters.

e. Future policy procedure and long range planning not otherwise specified.

Section 7. PUBLICATION COMMITTEE: The Committee shall consist of four (4) members, one of whom shall be the Publication and Circulation Manager of the *Journal* who shall be located in the city in which the second class mailing permit of the Society exists, and three (3) members of the Executive Council. The Secretary of the Society and the Editor of the *Journal* shall be consultants to the Committee. The duties of the Committee shall be:

a. To prepare and publish the *Illinois Dental Journal.*

b. To publish the *Transactions* of the Society in such form as may be designated by the Executive Council.

c. To print at the beginning of each number of the *Illinois Dental Journal* and each volume of the *Transactions* the following disclaimer: "The Illinois State Dental Society is not responsible for the opinions, views, or statements made in any essay, discussion, or in the proceedings which are presented before the Society."

Section 8. RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE: The Committee shall consist of three (3) voting members of the Executive Council appointed by the President.

It shall be the duty of this Committee to recommend, in proper form, resolutions presented to the Executive Council. It also shall present such resolutions to the legislative body in annual session for acceptance or refusal.

CHAPTER XI - SPECIAL COMMITTEES

Section 1. CREATION, APPOINTMENT AND TERMS: Special committees of this Society may be created at any session of the Executive Council for the purpose of performing any duties not otherwise assigned by these *By-laws.* Such special committees may serve until the adjournment *sine die* of the next annual session of the Executive Council. The authority for appointing the members of a special committee shall be set forth in the resolution creating such committee.

Section 2. PRIVILEGE: Chairmen and members of special committees who are not members of the Executive Council shall have the right to present their reports in person to the Executive Council and to participate in the debate thereon, but shall not have the right to vote.

CHAPTER XII - ELECTION OF DELEGATES AND ALTERNATES

Section 1. Delegates and alternates to represent this Society in the House of Delegates of the American Dental Association shall be elected by the Executive Council.

Section 2. The President, President-Elect, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer shall be delegates *ex-officio.* The remaining number of delegates and alternates allotted to the Society shall be elected by the Executive Council.

Section 3. A member to be eligible for election as delegate or alternate must have been a member of the Society in good standing for five (5) or more consecutive years immediately preceding his election. No member, except the President, President-Elect, Secretary and Treasurer of the Society, shall be eligible for election as delegate or an alternate, who has served as a delegate or an alternate for three (3) years in succession, until after a lapse of at least one (1) year.

Section 4. It shall be the duty of each councilman to prepare a list of names of members from his district whom he recommends as suitable candidates for delegates and alternates to the American Dental Association, to be presented to the Committee on Committees thirty (30) days preceding the date of the meeting of the Executive Council called to elect delegates and alternates.

CHAPTER XIII - POWERS AND DUTIES OF DELEGATES AND ALTERNATES

Section 1. The delegates shall be the

official representatives of this Society in the House of Delegates of the American Dental Association, empowered to act individually on any matter that comes before that body. It shall be the duty of each delegate to attend each meeting of each session of that House during his term of office and to participate in the deliberations and actions thereof in a manner which will promote the best interests of the American Dental Association and this Society.

Section 2. It shall be the duty of each alternate to attend sessions of the House of Delegates of the American Dental Association during his term of office, and to succeed to the office of delegate and assume those duties in case of a vacancy.

Section 3. The elected delegate or alternate acting as a delegate shall, upon return to his district from the American Dental Association annual meeting, report either in person or in writing to each component society in his district, presenting a brief resume of the actions of the House of Delegates.

CHAPTER XIV - MEETINGS

Section 1. The annual session of the Society shall be held at a place selected by the Executive Council, commencing at ten (10) o'clock a.m. on a day in the month of May specified by the Executive Council, and continuing for three (3) days and shall be devoted to an address by the President, the presentation and discussion of essays and clinics, business sessions and other matters of interest to the profession. Twenty-five (25) active members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

Section 2. The Executive Council shall meet immediately at the close of each annual business meeting.

Section 3. The Executive Council shall also meet during the month of January, at which time progress reports of officers and committees will be presented.

Section 4. The annual meeting of the Executive Council shall convene the day previous to the annual session of the Society and subsequent meetings shall be held at the call of the President. The annual report of the Secretary and the Treasurer will be presented at this meeting, along with annual reports of all committees.

Section 5. The opening general meeting shall be the first meeting of the second day of the annual session.

Section 6. The business meeting of the annual session shall be the last order of business, held on the third day of the annual session, at which time official business of the Society shall be transacted and officers and councilmen shall be elected and installed.

Section 7. All resolutions offered in the Society must be in writing, signed by five (5) members in good standing and handed to the Secretary, whose duty it shall be to read the same to the Society during the business meeting, unless the members offering the resolution prefer reading it and then passing it over to the Secretary to be filed with the minutes.

Section 8. The order of business at the annual session shall be as printed in the official program.

Section 9. Scientific sessions of this Society shall be held for the purpose of disseminating information pertaining to the science and art of dentistry through the media of lectures, essays, clinics, discussions, and scientific and commercial exhibits which may be of interest to the members of this Society.

A. There shall be at least one (1) scientific session at each annual session. The number shall be determined by the Committee on the Annual Session.

B. The selection and presentation of scientific and commercial exhibits shall be under the jurisdiction of the Committee on the Annual Session.

C. Products of the dental trade, dental laboratories and other commercial firms may be exhibited in accordance with rules and regulations established by the Executive Council and in conformity with policies adopted by the American Dental Association for exhibitors at the annual session of that Association.

Section 10. All essays read before the Society shall become the property of the Society and be deposited with the Secretary, a copy to be submitted by the essayist to the committee chairman in advance of the session. The Editor shall be permitted to refuse publication of essays not originally presented to the Society.

Section 11. The Committee on the Annual Session shall have full charge of all arrangements for clinics presented during the annual session and shall determine the number and type. Only members of the Society in good standing, office assistants and hygienists of members in good standing properly vouched for, members of their immediate families, members of the state medical societies, members of the American Dental Association and those having made application for membership whose application bears the written endorsement of two (2) members of this Society in good standing, students of dental colleges, members in good standing of the Illinois Dental Laboratory Association, and dental laboratory technicians who have been vouched for by a member of this Society in good standing shall be admitted to the clinics.

Clinicians advertising or demonstrating any appliance or material as a means of introducing it for any supply house or laboratory shall not be permitted to operate or exhibit in the clinic room.

Section 12. No person who is not a member of this Society shall be admitted to the business meeting, except upon approval of the President or Secretary. No member without the official badge issued to him at the registration desk shall be admitted to the business meeting of the Society. No person without the official badge issued to him at the registration desk shall be entitled to attend scientific sessions or clinics of the Society.

Section 13. All non-members shall register.

CHAPTER XV - OFFICIAL JOURNAL

Section 1. Title: This Society shall publish an official journal under the title of *Illinois Dental Journal*, hereinafter referred to as the *Journal*.

Section 2. Object: The object of the *Journal* shall be to report, chronicle and evaluate activities of scientific and professional interest to members of this Society.

Section 3. Frequency of Issue: The frequency of issue of the *Journal* shall be determined by the Executive Council.

Section 4. Subscription and Advertising Rates: Subscription and advertising rates of the *Journal* shall be determined by the Executive Council.

Section 5. Editor: The Editor of this Society shall be the editor of the *Journal*.

Section 6. Business Manager: The Secretary of this Society shall be the business manager of the *Journal*.

CHAPTER XVI - FINANCES

Section 1. Fiscal Year: The fiscal year of this Society shall begin on May 1 of each calendar year and end on April 30 of the next year.

Section 2. General Fund: The general fund shall consist of all monies received by the Society, other than those specifically allocated to other funds by the *Bylaws*. This fund shall be used in defraying all expenses incurred by the Society not otherwise provided for in the *Bylaws*. The general fund shall be divided into the general operating fund and the contingent fund. The contingent fund shall be available upon approval of the Executive Council or the Ad Interim Committee.

Section 3. Reserve Fund: This fund shall consist of cash and securities allocated to it by vote of the Executive Council. The funds of the reserve fund shall be invested in government bonds and any other type of investment approved by the Executive Council. No withdrawal may be made from the reserve fund except on vote of the Executive Council.

Section 4. Protection of Public Dental Health Fund: This fund shall be a special account derived from a special assessment approved by the legislative body for the purposes of financing legislation and law enforcement for the protection of public dental health and shall be held in a separate account, fully detached from any other fund of the Society. It shall be earmarked for the specific purpose of financing the special project of promoting proper legislation and law enforcement for the protection of the dental health of the public.

Section 5. Relief Fund: This fund shall be held in the name of the Illinois State Dental Society Relief Fund and be fully detached from any other fund of the Society. The fund shall be derived from cash and securities held and so earmarked by the Society and one-half (½) of the con-

tributions received from the American Dental Association Relief Fund Drive each year. It shall also include any other earnings and bequests. The purpose of the fund shall be to grant financial aid to dentists, their dependents, and survivors.

CHAPTER XVII - RULES OF ORDER

Sturgis Standard Code of Parliamentary Procedure shall be the authority of this Society, unless otherwise specified.

CHAPTER XVIII - INDEMNIFICATION OF OFFICERS AND EXECUTIVE COUNCILMEN

The Society shall indemnify and hold harmless each officer and each executive councilman now or hereafter serving the Society from and against any and all claims and liabilities to which he may be or become subject to by reason of his now or hereafter being or having heretofore been an officer and/or executive councilman of the Society and/or by reason of his alleged acts or omissions as on officer and/or executive councilman of the Society. It shall reimburse each officer and executive councilman of the Society for all legal and other expenses reasonably incurred by him in connection with defending against any such claims or liabilities, provided, however, that no officer or executive councilman shall be indemnified against or be reimbursed for any expenses incurred in defending against any claim or liability arising out of his own negligence or willful misconduct. The foregoing rights of officers and executive councilmen shall not be exclusive of other rights to which they may be entitled lawfully.

CHAPTER XIX - AMENDMENTS

Section 1. Two-Thirds Affirmative Vote: These *Bylaws* may be amended by a two-thirds (⅔) affirmative vote of the members present at an annual meeting, provided the proposed amendments or revision shall have been presented in writing, signed by five (5) members, at the previous annual session.

If the purpose and scope of the proposed amendments or revision be announced at an annual session, or if a general revision of these *Bylaws* is desired, and the Society or the Executive Council shall appoint a committee to present the revised form, the publication in the official *Transactions* of the Society or the *Illinois Dental Journal* of such proposed amendments or revision shall be deemed a sufficient compliance with the requirements of this section, and the proposed amendments or revision shall be considered at the next annual session.

Section 2. Unanimous Vote: These *Bylaws* may also be amended at any meeting of the legislative body by a unanimous affirmative vote, provided a proposed amendment shall have been presented at a previous meeting of the annual session.

CERTIFICATE NUMBER 13248

STATE OF ILLINOIS

OFFICE OF
THE SECRETARY OF STATE

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING:

I, WILLIAM J. STRATTON, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOLLOWING AND HERETO ATTACHED IS A TRUE PHOTOSTATIC COPY OF:

Articles of Incorporation of the ILLINOIS STATE DENTAL SOCIETY.

THE ORIGINAL OF WHICH IS NOW ON FILE AND A MATTER OF RECORD IN THIS OFFICE.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I HERETO SET MY HAND AND CAUSE TO BE AFFIXED THE GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS. Done at the City of Springfield this *30th* day of *July* A.D. *1931*.

William J. Stratton
SECRETARY OF STATE

This certifies that M. S. Drew, Geo. H. Cushing, J. N. Crouse, A. W. French and C. Stoddard Smith, and their associates to the number of fifty, have associated themselves together under the name and title of the Illinois State Dental Society, the object of which association is hereby declared to be to cultivate the science and art of dentistry and all its collateral branches, to elevate and sustain the professional character of dentists, and promote among them mutual improvement, social intercourse and good will; and have adopted a constitution and bylaws in accordance with the above objects.

That said Constitution provides for the elevation annually of the following officers of said Society: viz President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Librarian, and an Executive Committee of five members; and that at the last annual meeting held in the city of Bloomington on the 10th day of May, 1870 the following persons were elected to the offices above mentioned: viz President, G. V. Black of Jacksonville; Vice President, S. C. Wilson of Bloomington; Secretary, C. Stoddard Smith of Springfield; Librarian, E. C. Stone of Galesburg; Treasurer, Geo. C. Kingsby of Freeport; Executive Committee, E. C. Stone, Galesburg; E. F. Davis, Galesburg; S. C. Wilson, Bloomington; G. S. Miles, Jerseyville; and S. S. Edwards, Griggsville; and that said persons are now the officers of said Society.

That the said bylaws provide for the holding of an annual meeting of the Society, for the election of officers, and the consideration of topics relating to the objects above expressed, on the Second Tuesday of May in each year, at such place as may be designated by a previous vote of the Society.

That the said Society has adopted a common seal, and desires to be known as a corporate body under the laws of this State, by the name and title herein before mentioned.

Witness the signatures of the above mentioned persons hereunto affixed this 20th day of January A.D. 1871.

M. S. Drew
Geo. H. Cushing
J. N. Crouse
A. W. French
C. Stoddard Smith

State of Illinois } ss
Sangamon County }

I, Wm. E. Bennett, a Notary Public for the Town of Springfield in the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that A. W. French, who is personally known to me as the same person whose name is subscribed to the above certificate, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed the same freely and voluntarily for the uses and purposes herein expufied.

Witness my hand and Notarial Seal this twenty-fifth day of January A.D. 1871.

Wm. E. Bennett
Notary Public

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Rising costs and a growing number of Relief Fund grants mean that your help is needed as never before. Send your contribution today to American Dental Association Relief Fund, 222 East Superior Street, Chicago 11, Illinois.

Will-Grundy County Dental Society: Well-rounded program on dental health, participating in all promotional activities of the American Dental Association and State Society for preventive and corrective dental care.

1. Extended care to:
   a. Indigent families of the county
   b. Wards of the court
   c. Orpans of the area
   d. The tuberculosis patient
   e. Home for the aged
   f. Prisoners of the local jail
2. Dentist of Society serves on Health Board of County Board of Supervisors.
3. Active participation in National Children's Dental Health Week in schools, PTA groups and clubs.
4. Radio and newspaper coverage.
5. Participated in general health demonstration sponsored by local public health school system.
6. Promoting fluoridation.

Northwestern District:

No reports from Northwest and Rock Island Components.

Winnebago County Dental Society:

1. Promotion of National Children's Dental Health Week.
2. State Limerick Contest.
3. TV spot announcements during children's dental health week.
4. Dental pamphlets and tooth brushes distributed to 3rd grade children.
5. Dental assistants gave tooth brush demonstrations to school children in Rockford.
6. Dental health display in office building during February.
7. Dental education posters, pamphlets, and films distributed during the year.

Central District:

McLean County Dental Society: Probable publicity.

Peoria District Dental Society: Excellent, progressive and aggressive program.

Central Eastern District:

No reports from Illini, Eastern Illinois, and Decatur Components.

Danville District Dental Society:

1. Films and talks on dental health before local TV and PTA groups.
2. Talks on sugar control at Georgetown schools.
3. Dental examinations in Danville's surrounding communities.
4. Topical fluoridation program in local grade schools.
5. Danville Women's Auxiliary aid by instructing 1st grades and distributing literature.
6. Dental health exhibits at fairs, local celebrations, etc.

Central Western District:

Prairie Valley Dental Society:

No report from Prairie Valley Component.

G. V. Black District Dental Society:

1. Remedial Program for dentally indigent children.
2. Dental Clinic in elementary school for fluoride program and indigent care.
3. Interested school nurses.
4. Participation in high schools career day.
5. Posters on billboards during Children's Dental Health Week and in class rooms.
6. Talks in schools and PTA.
7. Promotion of fluoridation—need help.

8. Promotion of County Health Department—need help.
9. Aided teachers in Morgan County in classroom instruction.
10. School clinic in Jacksonville for indigent.
11. Aided in outlining a dental health program for County Board of Health.

T. L. Gilmer Dental Society:
1. Good program with teachers of schools in promoting dental health education.
2. Distribution of posters and dental health material.
3. School oral examinations and educational talks.
4. Good use of radio, TV, and newspapers.
5. Participation in poster and limerick contest.
6. Promotion of fluoridation programs.
7. Topical fluoride treatment for indigent children.
8. Remedial program for indigent.

Southern District:

St. Clair Dental Society:
No report from St. Clair Component.

Madison District Dental Society:
1. Observance of Children's Dental Health Week.
2. Participation in Limerick contest.
3. School examinations as required by state law.
4. Wants help to promote water fluoridation.

Southern Illinois Dental Society:
Observance of National Children's Dental Health Week.

Wabash River Dental Society:
Forced to give up plans for Children's Dental Health Week.

Objectives of Committee:

1. To improve the dental health of the people of the State of Illinois.
2. To improve the dental health education of all children in the State.
3. To provide services to the Component Societies which will bolster their Dental Health Committees by continuous guidance and aid in the establishment and maintenance of effective dental health education program.
4. To provide a closer liaison between the Component Societies and the Illinois State Dental Society.

How to be Achieved:

1. The full utilization of the personnel and facilities of the Dental Division, Illinois Department of Public Health.
2. The training and supervision of members of Component Dental Health Committees at the Component level.
3. The providing of Components with approved dental health literature issued by the Illinois State Dental Society.
4. The participation in Component Dental Health Conferences and programs by an experienced representative of the State Society Council on Dental Health.
5. The completion and/or correction of the County by County Survey Report of the White House Conference on Children and Youth.
6. The provision of material and direct personal assistance to each Component Society promoting fluoridation of the water supply.
7. The maintenance of present existing water fluoridation programs.
8. The establishment of pilot studies to determine the effectiveness of various continuous dental health education programs.
9. Direct assistance of components in

the setting up of indigent care programs.

10. The provision of an incentive to each Component Society, such as, no graduate will leave school in need of dental care.
11. Insure that proper credit counting toward a degree is given in courses on Dental Health Education in our universities.

Commission on Legislation and Law Enforcement

The Commission held its last full meeting on January 31, 1961. The annual reports of the chairman and the program director were presented at that time. The Secretary reported on Executive Council action relative to the Commission and also announced the present financial status of the Commission and the budget of $35,000, set and approved for the year 1961. The balance of the meeting was devoted to previously unfinished details and routine matters that can be found in the minutes of the Commission.

Due to the change in administration in the Cook County State's Attorney's office and of the State government, the Commission has and is making every effort to develop new channels of liaison. We are planning a meeting in the very near future with the newly appointed director of the Department of Registration and Education for the State of Illinois.

Members of the Commission appeared before two hearings of a sub-committee of the Illinois Medical Practice Act Commission. The first hearing on January 11 was at the request of the "Illinois Society of Oral Prosthetists, Inc.", new pseudonym of the illegal laboratory operators. The second hearing was on February 17 at which time the dental profession had an opportunity for rebutal. It is hoped that legislation proposed by the Society will receive endorsement by the Medical Practice Act Commission before its introduction into the State Legislature.

Last year the Illinois Supreme Court held constitutional and amendment restricting dental laboratory listings in classified telephone directories, as to name, address, and telephone number. This was appealed to the United States Supreme Court who this year refused to review the case, thus strengthening our position in maintaining "clean" telephone directories.

Court decisions have been rendered in favor of the Society in every case this year. Six successful injunctive restrictions have been obtained against old time offenders. Several license suspensions or revocations have been obtained against dentists aiding and abetting illegal laboratories.

The Commission has received several refunds of master's fees and court costs advanced in the prosecution of cases where favorable verdicts have been obtained, but law enforcement is still a costly procedure. Our heavy attorney fees are justified in the many successes we have had. However, our special assessment fund had a balance on April 1, 1960, of $39,000, in round figures, while on April 1, 1961, the balance was $22,000. This drop of $17,000, at this early time of year indicates that we will likely over-run our budget again this year.

It is, therefore, recommended that the Executive Council request action from the membership at the Annual Meeting for a $10.00 per member assessment for Legislative and Law Enforcement purposes for the year 1962.

—JOSEPH B. ZIELINSKI, *Chairman*

Resolution From Illinois State Dental Society Regarding Categorical Grants for Dental Health

(Adopted by Ad Interim Committee February 6, 1961)

WHEREAS, the prevention and control of dental diseases are becoming of greater urgency due to the lack of adequate dental health education and facilities because the funds and personnel of the Illinois Department of Public Health, Division of Dental Health, are inadequate to provide or assist in providing these necessary services throughout the State, and

WHEREAS, the Council on Dental Health of the Illinois State Dental Society recognizes that there are some areas of the State which are economically depressed, and

WHEREAS, the Council on Dental Health of the Ililnois State Dental Society deems it wise to expand the Department's activities of education, prevention and control of dental diseases to cover each county of the State of Illinois,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Executive Council of the Illinois State Dental Society urges the Senators and Representatives in Congress from Illinois to support the Bill introduced by Senator Lester Hill, namely S-3780, which deals with Categorical Grants on Dental Health to States.

NECROLOGY REPORT

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G. V. Black

Baldwin, Camille M., Springfield. U. of Ill., 1916. Member 1937 to 1960. Died September 15, 1960.

Converse, Albert E., Springfield. U. of Ill. 1904. Member 1905 to 1961. Life member. Born February 26, 1891. Died March 14, 1961.

Halbert, Lee V., Springfield. Washington Univ. 1912. Member 1935 to 1960. Life member. Born December 22, 1889. Died May 10, 1960.

Chicago

Arden, Joseph G., Chicago. C.C.D.S. 1919. Member 1921 to 1960. Born September 20, 1898. Died August 23, 1960.

Ashworth, William, Chicago. C.C.D.S. 1934. Member 1942 to 1960. Died April 17, 1960.

Bayer, Sidney D., Harvey. C.C.D.S. 1929. Member 1938 to 1960. Born 1906. Died December 17, 1960.

Boeck, Walter O., Chicago. C.C.D.S. 1922. Member 1923 to 1961. Life member. Born July 26, 1897. Died March 5, 1961.

Brandeau, Charles H., Maywood. C.C.D.S. 1918. Member 1952 to 1961. Born December 20, 1887. Died February 5, 1961.

Brown, Harry L., Chicago. C.C.D.S. 1916. Member 1922 to 1960. Life member. Born October 25, 1885. Died June 6, 1960.

Burkhardt, William G., Chicago. C.C.D.S. 1896. Member 1905 to 1960. Life member. Born July 20, 1875. Died September 17, 1960.

Cryier, Oscar, Chicago. C.C.D.S. 1914. Member 1916 to 1960. Life member. Born November 12, 1887. Died Sep-

tember 7, 1960.

DeAno, Rocco James, Melrose Park. C.C.D.S. 1919. Member 1921 to 1960. Life member. Born February 5, 1895. Died July 22, 1960.

Deist, Milzor W., Chicago. U. of Ill. 1915. Member 1916 to 1961. Life member. Born July 25, 1891. Died April 9, 1961.

Edlund, E. Walter, Melbourne, Fla. Northwestern 1912. Member 1913 to 1960. Life member. Born February 5, 1887. Died September 11, 1960.

Freeman, Charles W., Evanston. Northwestern 1912. Member 1914 to 1960. Life member. Born January 18, 1892. Died June 26, 1960.

Gall, Otto Francis, Chicago. C.C.D.S. 1913. Member 1916 to 1934. Died February 9, 1960.

Haines, Harlin E., Chicago, C.C.D.S. 1914. Member 1923 to 1960. Died September 28, 1960.

Hansen, Clarence W., Chicago. U. of Ill. 1929. Member 1937 to 1961. Born 1902. Died 1961.

Isay, Morton G., Chicago. Northwestern 1922. Member 1925 to 1960. Life member. Born June 28, 1900. Died November 10, 1960.

Jacobson, Julius J., Chicago. Northwestern 1919. Member 1939 to 1960. Born 1897. Died February 10, 1961.

Johnson, Oscar T., Chicago. Northwestern 1900. Member 1906 to 1960. Life member. Born February 12, 1876. Died September 25, 1960.

Knitter, Bernard J., Chicago. C.C.D.S. 1923. Member 1937 to 1960. Born 1901. Died July 17, 1960.

Lace, John L., Valparaiso, Ind. U. of Ill. 1919. Member 1934 to 1960. Born June 24, 1895. Died August 10, 1960.

Larsen, Otto H., Chicago. Northwestern 1919. Member 1935 to 1961. Died April 9, 1961.

Luber, Eli., Chicago. C.C.D.S. 1933. Member 1936 to 1961. Born 1909. Died April 24, 1961.

McKean, Harry J., Waukegan. C.C.D.S. 1917. Member 1918 to 1960. Life member. Born September 23, 1893. Died November 3, 1960.

Mitran, Andrew E., Chicago. Northwestern 1944. Member 1947 to 1960. Born November 20, 1920. Died January 14, 1961.

Opdahl, Olaf S., Chicago. C.C.D.S. 1929. Member 1930 to 1961. Born June 26, 1902. Died May 16, 1961.

Orloff, Leo, Chicago. U. of Ill. 1916. Member 1918 to 1960. Life member. Born July 16, 1885. Died November 23, 1960.

Pendleton, Elbert C., Chicago. C.C.D.S. 1907. Member 1911 to 1960. Life member. Born March 14, 1882. Died July 15, 1960.

Postilion, Louis, Chicago. C.C.D.S. 1918. Member 1921 to 1961. Life member. Born June 14, 1891. Died February 5, 1961.

Ray, Harold, Chicago. Northwestern 1926. Member 1927 to 1960. Born March 12, 1903. Died July 15, 1960.

Roe, Arthur, Chicago. Northwestern 1923. Member 1926 to 1961. Born April 10, 1902. Died April 10, 1961.

Rosenthal, William, Los Angeles, Calif. U. of Ill. 1918. Member 1920 to 1961. Born 1895. Died February 22, 1961.

Rowland, LeRoy T., Blue Island. Northwestern 1918. Member 1918 to 1961. Born June 1, 1892. Died 1961.

Sabin, Manuel S., Chicago. C.C.D.S. 1923. Member 1941 to 1961. Born 1895. Died January 24, 1961.

Simon, Herman, Chicago. C.C.D.S. 1916. Member 1932 to 1960. Life member. Born August 17, 1888. Died December 12, 1960.

Smith, Robert, Chicago. U. of Ill. 1924. Member 1940 to 1960. Born April 4, 1895. Died October 16, 1960.

Stanley, Josephus C., Chicago. Meharry 1916. Member 1943 to 1960. Died March 4, 1960.

Teeling, Peter J., Harvey, U. of Ill. 1912. Member 1920 to 1960. Life member. Born 1881. Died July 2,

1960.

Ullom, Stanley W., Chicago. Northwestern 1911. Member 1955 to 1960. Born January 17, 1889. Died November 21, 1960.

Vanrell, Louis A., Chicago. C.C.D.S. 1924. Member 1929 to 1960. Born February 13, 1895. Died September 16, 1960.

Van Tuyl, Harry I., Hinsdale. U. of Michigan 1904. Member 1905 to 1960. Life member. Born April 3, 1869. Died 1960.

White, Thomas, Naperville. Northwestern 1914. Member 1917 to 1960. Life member. Born July 18, 1890. Died June 3, 1960.

Wojniak, Sonia R., Chicago. Northwestern 1934. Member 1936 to 1960. Born 1905. Died November 20, 1960.

Wysocke, Alexander S., Chicago. Loyola 1927. Member 1958 to 1960. Born May 18, 1898. Died February 1, 1961.

Danville

Akerly, Guy W., Milford. C.C.D.S. 1918. Member 1920 to 1960. Life member. Born October 30, 1895. Died December 10, 1960.

Decatur

Crouch, Rollo O., Maroa. C.C.D.S. 1902. Member 1905 to 1961. Life member. Born December 16, 1880. Died March 17, 1961.

Laswell, James L., Decatur. Central College of Dentistry 1900. Member 1906 to 1960. Life member. Born December 28, 1874. Died August 1960.

Morrison, C. K., Decatur. Louisville Dental School 1919. Member 1921 to 1961. Life member. Born June 29, 1884. Died March 24, 1961.

Eastern Illinois

Baughman, Herrick A., Carlsbad, Calif. Indiana Dental College 1915. Member 1917 to 1960. Life member. Born October 20, 1893. Died September 16, 1960.

Fox River

Berg, Stanley H., Yorkville. Northwestern 1923. Member 1939 to 1961. Born 1895. Died March 13, 1961.

T. L. Gilmer

Farwell, Harry R., Quincy. Northwestern 1910. Member 1912 to 1960. Life member. Born May 5, 1883. Died July 31, 1960.

Wolfe, LeRoy M., Quincy. Northwestern 1936. Member 1937 to 1960. Born 1911. Died November 8, 1960.

Kankakee

Schofield, Herbert S., Kankakee. Northwestern 1904. Member 1905 to 1960. Life member. Born November 15, 1881. Died August 29, 1960.

La Salle

Clark, Ted R., Marseilles. C.C.D.S. 1929. Member 1931 to 1960. Born 1901. Died 1960.

Postma, John R., Peru. Washington Univ. 1923. Member 1924 to 1961. Life member. Born February 27, 1899. Died April 4, 1961.

Wood, Seeley C., C.C.D.S. 1909. Member 1914 to 1960. Life member. Born 1888. Died 1960.

Madison

Kane, Francis M., Alton. Washington Univ. 1914. Member 1915 to 1960. Lif emember. Born April 8, 1889. Died March 6, 1960.

Northwest

Arganbright, Ned A., Freeport. Northwestern 1915. Member 1916 to 1961. Life member. Born September 13, 1893. Died March 8, 1961.

Wolfe, Donald S., Savanna. C.C.D.S. 1926. Member 1936 to 1960. Born 1901. Died December 7, 1960.

Peoria

Jackson, Robert G., Peoria. C.C.D.S.

1931. Member 1946 to 1961. Born October 28, 1908. Died February 16, 1961.

Ryan, William F., Pekin. Indiana Univ. 1928. Member 1947 to 1960. Born 1902. Died November 7, 1960.

Prairie Valley

Phelps, Walter S., Monmouth. C.C.D.S. 1903. Member 1905 to 1960. Life member. Born August 25, 1880. Died February 20, 1960.

Rock Island

Guy, Manuel D., Aledo. St. Louis Univ. 1928. Member 1929 to 1960. Born August 28, 1902. Died August 16, 1960.

Trent, Henry G., Rock Island. Northwestern 1898. Member 1904 to 1960. Life member. Born February 8, 1876. Died August 1960.

St. Clair

Ochs, Frank A., Belleville. St. Louis Univ. 1919. Member 1936 to 1960. Born March 27, 1898. Died August 13, 1960.

Zeigler, Charles M., O'Fallon. Washington Univ. 1937. Member 1938 to 1960. Born 1914. Died December 12, 1960.

Wabash River

Craig, Everet C., Louisville. Washington Univ. 1910. Member 1910 to 1960. Life member. Born December 13, 1885. Died 1960.

Seigel, Herbert, Hutsonville. St. Louis Univ. 1929. Member 1947 to 1960. Born February 4, 1904. Died 1960.

Will-Grundy

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Winnebago

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Council on Dental Health Program

Following is the program for the Council on Dental Health which will meet in Macomb on Wednesday, August 23rd. The subject of the conference is "Setting Up a School Dental Health Program." Participants will include school administrators, school nurses, representatives from each component society, council members and other interested persons.

8:30 a.m.	Registration
9:30 a.m.	Introduction of Speakers by Dr. Robert F. Barkley, president, Prairie Valley Dental Society
	Welcome by Dr. Phillip J. Kartheiser, president, Illinois State Dental Society
	Remarks by Dr. John E. Zur, Chief, Division of Dental Health, Illinois Department of Public Health
10:00 a.m.	Speaker: Dr. Willard Johnson
	Subject: "Dental Problems Facing the American People" (Results of White House Conference)
	Speaker: Dr. Lloyd C. Blackman, chairman, Council on Dental Health, Illinois State Dental Society
	Subject: "Aims and Goals of the Dental Profession in School Dental Health Programs"
	Speaker: Dr. Richard Abbott, Western Illinois University
	Subject: "Role of Schools in Dental Health Education"
11:00 a.m.	Speaker: Mr. Perry Sandell, director, Bureau of Dental Health Education, American Dental Association
	Subject: "How Dental Societies Can Work with Schools in the County"
12:00 a.m.	Lunch
1:30 p.m.	The group will be divided into three segments. Upper-grade level will be in group one, intermediate grades will be in group two, and lower grades will be in group three. They will discuss teaching aids available from the Dental Society and how they can best be used in the school program.
3:30 p.m.	A summary of the conference and a basic summary of each of the three groups. This will be reported in an abbreviated form.
4:00 p.m.	The Conference will close.

Law Enforcement Information

The Illinois State Dental Society maintains its law enforcement office at 30 N. Michigan Avenue, Chicago 2, Illinois. Edgar T. Stephens is the Program Director, and Mrs. Frances Kapus is his office assistant. Information relative to law enforcement or legislative activities can be given or received by phoning RAndolph 6-1470, or by addressing a letter to the COMMISSION ON LEGISLATION AND LAW ENFORCEMENT, 30 N. Michigan Avenue, Chicago 2, Illinois.

COMPONENTS

FOX RIVER VALLEY

On July 19th our golf outing will be at the Fox Valley Country Club and August 23rd the golfers will be at the Aurora Country Club.

Our newly elected president, Bob Barnes of Aurora, left late in June for a three week tour of Europe which includes ten dayes in Russia. Bob has spent two years in night school learning the Russian language and is very adept in conversing in this language. It sure is going to be interesting to hear Bob tell of his experiences when he returns.

New officers elected for the coming year also include Ted Pauly, Aurora, vice-president; and Dick Verbic, Elgin, secretary-treasurer. New Board of Governor members are Hal Perry of Elgin and Bob Lee of Aurora.

One of the best meetings of the year took place in May at the Hotel Baker when over seventy-five members and Bob Pollock and Herman Wenger of Chicago came to honor Fox Valley's own Phil Kartheiser, president of the Illinois State Dental Society. Phil was introduced to the members by his old buddy and sidekick, Charles Freeman, who also presented him with a certificate of honor plaque. Another hi-light of the meeting was the presentation of certificates to all of our living past presidents —twenty-eight in all.

Our chairman of Public Health. Larry Henry, of Wheaton, had a wonderful program one week later sponsored by our society. Larry had invited superintendents and key school officials to a sponsored dinner and meeting. Fifty-two area schools attended the meeting. Perry Sandell and the A.D.A. Public Health Department gave a most interesting and stimulating talk to the group. A question and answer period followed for one hour. A closer relationship between educators and the dental teaching profession was the aim of the meeting. Larry Henry emphasized that we should not ask for more time in the teaching of dental health but aim to improve the quality of teaching and accuracy of information.

The Fox River Valley Dental Society was saddened by the death of one of its former presidents, John T. Shesler of Elgin. Dr. Shesler died at the Sherman Hospital on May 27th. He came to Elgin from Genoa in 1933. He was loved and respected in dental circles. He will be missed by his colleagues.—*Richard L. Verbic*

CHICAGO

The Northwest branch noted for the dignified and handsome parties it gives, particularly its annual ladies night and installation of officers, proved itself again at a dinner-dance on June 7th at the Chanteclair Restaurant.

The festivities began with cocktails and soon the lounge was overflowing with guests. The ladies were given gardenia corsages compliments of the northwest branch. Gerson Gould, master of ceremonies, kept the post-dinner program briskly rolling. In keeping with the theme of the evening "Getting To Know You," Gerson called on the head of each table to introduce his guests. Installing officer was Joe Zielinski who aptly completed his task. The newly-elected officers are: Mitchell Kaminski, president; Jack Applebaum, president-elect; Mark Spencer, vice-president; Ray

Rux, secretary; and Lee Schwartz, treasurer. Branch directors are Ted Ferguson, Victor Weclew, and Viggo Sorenson. Outgoing president, Ted Serr, received a plaque for his leadership in 1960. Gerson Gould complimented Mrs. Mitchell Kaminski and Mrs. Ted Serr with roses. The Hi-Lows furnished the dance music and Franklin Shephard, an excellent magician, amused the audience with his wit and magic. The entire program was ably directed and arranged by Vincent Bonus, chairman.

Drs. Joanna Baranovski and Elaine Steubner were featured in "White Collar Girl" by Ruth MacKay in a recent issue of the *Chicago Tribune*. The "gentle ministering touch" was the theme of the editorial.

Loyola University School of Dentistry is on the second lap of its School Fund Drive. As a member of the schools' pledge committee, I have had the pleasure of calling upon and meeting Ashley Graig, Joe Krynicki, Henry Sarton, V. Donald Edmunds, Lester DeRome. I was received most hospitably. Thank you, boys.

Denturists are on a rampage again. Write or call your state representative and ask him to defeat their ideal and spare mankind from the ravages of bootleg dentistry.

If you're going to take a vacation, remodel your home or office, have an increase in the family, buy a new car, marry off a daughter or son, celebrate an anniversary, why not keep me informed? Then I can pass the news on to our fellow dentists. Remember—our wives, sweethearts and office personnel read the news. Write to me at 5355 Irving Park Road. Have a pleasant summer.—*John M. Gates*

ILLINI

The Illini Component has started the new fiscal year with a great deal of vigor under the direction of President Jim Clark. An executive meeting has been held, committees appointed, and policies formulated for the coming year. Our other officers are: Ray Drebes, president-elect; Jim Moffitt, treasurer; Jack Erickson, secretary; Herb Heaton, editor; and Mark Ervin, librarian.

The Illini Society which includes dentists within Champaign County meets the second Wednesday of each month.

President Jim Clark has appointed a three-man program committee for each month. This should give a variety of program material and many new ideas. A discussion has been held in regard to football protective mouthpieces for junior and senior high school players and the part which the dental society should play in promoting these mouthpieces. Perhaps some ideas from other components as to their experiences with these mouthpieces would be helpful.

A fund of $350 has been turned over to our dental society by our auxiliary with the stipulation that it be used for some worthwhile project. President of the auxiliary is Mrs. Jim O'Hearn. The Illini Dental Assistants Society will be led this coming year by Dixie Frieden, assistant to Tom Wise. This organization is only two years old but can boast of many interesting programs, a growing membership, and participation in the state meetings.

Our members have been busy with the usual summer routine of activities. Mark Ervin has been in Canada with a group of Boy Scouts; Jim O'Hearn claims thirty-five walleyes in three days —his story. Ed Collins had his family at their summer home in Carmel, California. The Gormans continue to win golf prizes. Harry Eisenberg spent three days in Iowa City for a course in restorative dentistry at the University of Iowa.

The Illini Component has started a monthly newsletter. We would be more than glad to include other components on our mailing list. We would likewise appreciate receiving other component newsletters.—*Herb Heaton*

DECATUR

Greetings to all readers of the Component News!

From Decatur there is a novice at the helm of editorship by appointment of new President, Everett Goodwin. Elected officers for the new year are: President-elect, James Williams; Secretary-Treasurer (by unanimous re-election) Robert Stengel. Retiring President William Tener, who performed his duties ably, and William Bechtold complete the roster of the advisory board.

At the state meeting Clayton Quackenbush bowled his way in a fancy sport shirt. Golfers Paul Berryhill, Everett Goodwin, Hal Gronlund, and Ivan Stanley motored around Mt. Hawley golf course. The latter was lucky enough to take second place trophy. This is not a very large group representing our district as the sporting component of Illinois.

Others seen at the meeting included Hal Freidinger, Ralph Hall, LeRoy Ritter, and politico Edmund Douglas who was introduced to the technique of approaching the Springfield Legislature.

We are proud of a group of our dental assistants who have finished the two-year accreditization course under the leadership of Paul Jurgens, James Olendorf, and Everett Goodwin. The gals who completed the course are: Marie Rader (Dudley Wolfe), Charlotte Howell and Erna Teschner (Emmett and Paul Jurgens), Etta Perlier (Everett Goodwin), Irene Robinson (LeRoy Ritter), Sally Schwenke and Evelyn Gardner (James Olendorf), Evelyn Lowe (Harold Foster), Trula Brown (Jack Brown), and Rochelle Boyd (Ralph Dixon). I just found out that the Goodwin office is well in charge of dental affairs as Etta Perlier is new president of the local assistants.

Bits of news from here and there—Robert Stengel is back at work after successful surgery. Emmett and Mrs. Jurgens returned home from Las Vegas with his shirt. Clayton Quackenbush is justly proud of his son who graduated from dental school and is going into the Air Force for two years. George Ferry and William Douglas have sprouted wings. Thomas Campbell, Jr., was graduated with honors from high school which helped Sr. pop his buttons.

Hal Gronlund's foster daughter from South Africa returns home this month. Boating enthusiasts on Lake Decatur are Ralph Hall, Richard Postlewait, William DeHaven, G. T. McDowall. Ray Monroe has returned to his office on a part-time basis after surgery. Jack Baxley had to dismiss a roomful of patients to go welcome a new daughter.

This component also has some sad news to report. Two of our members have recently lost fathers who preceded them in the practice of dentistry. Our condolences go out to Robert Crouch and Jack Morrison. We were also shocked at the sudden death of fellow member Brice Tedrow. His smile and good fellowship will be missed at our meetings. To his family we also express our condolences.

James E. Williams made the sports page by winning a medal-play tournament at his club. Emmett Jurgens sailed a houseboat on Kentucky Lake. Dudley Wolfe has the cry "Fore" disturbing his peace as our All-American City opened a new golf course surrounding his home. This may be the location for our September Play Day. Fishing will be available for those interested in Lake Decatur and relief from hunger and thirst in Dudley's yard and basement.

Other hobbies being indulged this summer include rose gardening by Austin Stiles, watching the construction of their Dental Arts Building by Ralph Hall and Walter Winter.

Dale Long missed some golfing over the Fourth as his dad put him to bed.

(His dad is a physician and was treating an infection.) I am sorry to report that our friend, Lloyd, alias "Pop," Dodd is confined to his home.

Several of us enjoyed Play Day hospitality at the Eastern Illinois Component in June. John Griffin, Hal Freidinger, and Al Schiltz were finishing the first nine as Everett Goodwin and I arrived. Paul and Emmett Jurgens Volkswagened to Arthur for the evening festivities. Our thanks go to Ralph Dixon, John Phillips, and Tom Foster as the good hosts.—*Ivan Staley*

Illinois Dental Assistants Page

by Mary Shepley, President

As this is my first message to you, I wish to send greetings and thank you for the confidence you have placed in me. Every effort will be made to continue the fine work accomplished by the former officers of our organization.

We need more enthusiasm for our organization. There is no other organization like ours. Let's talk about it and "do" something about it. Send publicity to your local papers and to your state president.

Now is the time for program planning as the newly-elected officers are beginning their work. Program planning is the duty of the officers. However, each member has her duty—that of supporting the officers by attending the meetings planned for you.

All dental assistants interested in becoming members of the Illinois Dental Assistants' Association and the American Dental Assistants Association are asked to contact Mrs. Bertha Lewis, membership chairman, 679 North 6th Street, Breese, Illinois.

Prestige and further education can be gained from becoming a Certified Dental Assistant. For further information contact Mrs. Marie Venture, c/o University of Illinois College of Dentistry, 808 South Wood Street, Chicago.

Our new officers for the year are: President, Mary Shepley, 215 Barr Elm, Joliet; President-elect and Program Chairman, Betty Sovey, 3637 23rd Avenue, Moline; First Vice-President and Membership Chairman, Bertha Lewis, 679 North 6th Street, Breese; Second Vice-President and Clinic Chairman, Roseanne Kirn, 11306 Sawyer Avenue, Chicago 43; Third Vice-President and Bylaws Chairman, Vivian Smith, 801 Main Street, Aurora; Secretary and Pin Chairman, Valeska Hinton, 828 West 3rd Avenue, Peoria; Treasurer and Budget and Finance Chairman, Mary Lou Lurtz, 605 Walnut Street, St. Charles.

I will be looking forward to seeing you in the near future. The more we get together the happier and stronger we will become. Meanwhile, a very nice summer and a safe vacation to all of you.

SCHOOL NEWS

LOYOLA

On June 13th Loyola University School of Dentistry graduated its seventy-eighth class. Commencement exercises were held at Chicago's new convention center, McCormick Place. Over eight thousand persons attended. President of the University, Very Reverend James F. Maguire, S.J., presented diplomas to over eight hundred graduates of the various colleges in the University.

The Dental School held a graduation banquet luncheon at the new Villa Venice Restaurant. Over four hundred parents, friends, and wives were present to honor the graduates.

Dean William P. Schoen presided as toastmaster and presented Doctor of Dental Surgery degrees to the eighty-five graduates representing twenty of our United States. Ten Master of Science degrees were presented to the fourth group of students to graduate from our Graduate School. Dr. Thomas Grisamore, director of the Post-graduate School, presented degrees to the following: *Oral Surgery:* Dr. Anthony Abati, Minnesota; Dr. John Giannini, Illinois; Dr. Sam Liaros, Ohio; Dr. Gokul Ojha, India; and Dr. John Sachs, Illinois. *Orthodontics:* Dr. Thomas Fleming, Illinois; Dr. Donald Hilgers, Illinois; Dr. Kenneth Kemp, Jr., Tennessee; Dr. Ram Nanda, India; and Dr. Eugene Zylinski, Michigan.

Over thirty scholastic and fraternal awards were presented. Of these, Jesuit Alpha Sigma Nu keys were presented to Drs. Carter Francis and James Smith. Five graduates were honored this year with the highest honor a dental student may receive, the Omicron Kappa Upsilon Award. Keys and certificates were presented to Drs. Robert Calderwood, Edmund Cataldo, Paul Connelly, Thomas Paison, and James Smith.

Dr. Robert Pollock, president of the Dental Alumni Association, welcomed the graduates into the Alumni Association. Dr. Thomas Paison was salutatorian of the class and Dr. Edmund Cataldo spoke as valedictorian.

Dr. Arthur Krol, chairman and associate professor of prosthetics, was selected by the class to give the graduation address. All were impressed by his talk on the responsibilities the graduates now face in regard to God, their families, profession, community and patients.

Under Dean Schoen's "modernization program" many physical changes have taken place this past academic year. At the present time two completely equipped modern offices with laboratory and business offices are being constructed in the clinic for the training of senior students in the efficient use of dental assistants and technicians.

Our post-graduate program has been expanded and requests for information can be obtained by writing to Dr. Thomas Grisamore, director of dental post-graduate courses, 1757 W. Harrison Street, Chicago 12.

At the time of this writing the quota for the freshman class of 1961 has been filled.

The new officers in the Alumni Association are: Dr. Robert Pollock, president; Dr. Edward Kritzke, president-elect; Dr. Paul Kanchier, vice-president; Dr. Sam Goffen, secretary; and Dr. Lawrence Madonia, treasurer.

The first alumni affair for this fiscal year will be a golf outing on September

13th at the Midwest Country Club.

The United States Department of Health, Education, and Welfare has awarded Loyola University School of Dentistry a $72,325 grant to train dental students to utilize dental assistants. Dr. John Coady, assistant professor, department of operative dentistry, is director of the program.

Dr. Patrick D. Toto, chairman of the research department at the Loyola University School of Dentistry, and Dr. Harry Sicher, director of the school's teacher training program, recently attended the Balint Orban Memorial Seminar in Boulder, Colorado, where Dr. Sicher presented "Wound Healing."

Dr. Toto has been awarded an American Cancer Society Clinical Fellowship. The field is oral cancer and the stipend is for $3,600 annually. Applications are now being received.—*Frank Amaturo*

ILLINIOIS

Under the direction of Dean Schour and Associate Dean Forrest, the University of Illinois College of Dentistry held a faculty institute on June 11th through the 14th at Starved Rock. The principle theme was "Phase Program of Medical Education at Western Reserve University. Major speakers were: Dr. T. H. Ham, director of research in medical education at Western Reserve; Dr. R. F. Williams, associate dean at Western Reserve; and Dr. Cooperstein, assistant dean at Western Reserve School of Medicine.

Dr. James A. Yaeger, assistant professor in the department of dental histology, recently presented a paper on "Bone Development Ultrahistology" to the International Association of Dental Research in Boston, Massachusetts.

Dr. Robert G. Kessel, head of the department of applied materia medica and therapeutics, will be in Honolulu, Hawaii, for the 59th annual meeting of the Hawaii State Dental Association, June 18th through the 22nd. He will lecture to the dentists on "Endodontic Therapy Based on Biological Principles," and to the dental assistants and hygienists on "Oral Hygiene Procedures and their Importance."

Dr. Vincent E. Urbanek gave a table clinic at the Northwest Branch of the Chicago Dental Society on April 4th. The clinic demonstrated the use of the facebow, registration of centric relation by means of the Gothic arch tracer, and various techniques for setting the lateral and horizontal condylar setting on the Hanau articulator.

A table clinic was presented by Dr. R. B. Underwood on May 3rd at the Northwestern University Alumni Homecoming. This clinic covered "Esthetics in Full Denture Construction."

A number of student table clinics were conducted under the guidance of the department of prosthodontics at the 97th annual meeting of the Illinois State Dental Society, May 8th through the 10th. Among the clinics presented were: "Restoration of Anterior Teeth with Porcelain Gold Veneer Crowns" by Richard Rudi; "Permeability of Amalgam Restorations as Determined by Isotopes" by Joseph Catasca; "Survey and Diagnosis in Removable Partial Denture Construction" by Frederick J. Mattka, Paul Erickson, and Nicholas Konjevich.

On May 13th the University of Illinois College of Dentistry and the Alumni Association held a banquet at the Drake Hotel, Chicago, to honor Dr. Stanley D. Tylman who is retiring September 1st after forty-one years of teaching at the University. Dr. Tylman is professor of crown and bridge prosthodontics and is head of the department.

Dr. Tylman is the author of several authoritative textbooks on dentistry and his research has contributed many articles to dental literature. He is past president of the Chicago Dental Society,

Dental Research Association, and the American Academy of Crown and Bridge Prosthodontics. His early training was received at Notre Dame University and he obtained his dental degree and master of science degree at Northwestern University. He is also recipient of several honorary degrees.

Gifts from his many friends made it possible to continue the Stanley D. Tylman annual award of $100 for the next ten years. The award is given to the outstanding graduating dental student. Dr. Tylman donated the balance of his gift money to the Student Loan Fund to help those students in need of financial assistance while in school. Another dinner was given for Dr. Tylman on May 24th by the staff members of the prosthodontic department at which time they presented him with an illuminated scroll signed by each department member.—*Thomas Emmering*

CURRENT NEWS

PHYSICIANS AND DENTISTS FORM UNION

The first collective bargaining organization of doctors in the nation has been formed by physicians and dentists in the New York City Department of Health.

Known as the Doctors' Association of the Department of Health, it is certified by the City Labor Department and backed by the Health Department. The group claims a membership of more than 700. Salary increase, tenure, and pension rights are among the first objectives to be sought, said Dr. Robert M. Robbins, a physician and president of the new group. At present, he went on, dentists and physicians are paid $5 an hour for sessions of three hours. Although wage proposals have not been formulated, studies show that $30 for a three-hour session, with $35 for supervisory personnel, would be more realistic. "We are losing a lot of staff," Dr. Robbins said. "There is not enough incentive to stay in the department. Prestige as well as salary is concerned." According to Dr. Robbins, the new unit has the support of Dr. Leona Baumgartner, New York City Health Commissioner.

ADA OFFICIALS DISCUSS SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION

The need for dental school construction funds, and funds for state dental public health programs were among the major topics discussed at a meeting of American Dental Association officials and Abraham A. Ribicoff, secretary of Health, Education and Welfare in the Kennedy cabinet.

The meeting was held in Washington, D.C., where the Association representatives were attending the White House Conference on Aging. President Charles H. Patton commented that the breakfast meeting was "a courtesy call" on the governor and that dental needs of the public were discussed informally. Among matters discussed, according to Dr. Patton, were the enactment of a federal grant program to help in the construction of new dental schools and the remodelling and expansion of exist-

ing schools, a federal grant-in-aid program to provide matching funds for state dental public health programs and more effective public dental health programs at the community level.

Dr. Patton said the Association representatives pledged the profession's fullest possible cooperation to Ribicoff. "The leadership of the health professions must be progressive and realistic if a way is to be found to guarantee the best care to all Americans." In addition to the Association president, others at the meeting were Dr. Harold Hillenbrand, secretary; Dr. C. Willard Camalier and Mr. Bernard J. Conway, assistant secretaries, and Mr. Hal M. Christensen of the Association's Washington office.

ADA PUBLISHES SECOND CAREER PAMPHLET

How to Decide on Dentistry is the title of a new pamphlet on dentistry as a career published recently by the American Association of Dental Schools and the American Dental Association.

The pamphlet is the second in a series of three. The first, entitled *Dentistry,* was published in November, 1960. More than 250,000 copies of the new pamphlet have been printed and mailings are being made to all American Dental Association members, state and local society officers, and dental schools; 17,000 members of the Science Clubs of America; 30,000 public and parochial high schools; 16,000 members of the American Personnel and Guidance counselors at the state level.

Copies of the pamphlet may be obtained without charge by dental society officials from the Bureau of Public Information, Central Office, American Dental Association, 222 E. Superior Street, Chicago 2.

KERR-MILLS DOING WELL IN STATES

The Kerr-Mills bill, providing health aid-to-the-aged, is seemingly receiving steady acceptance by the fifty states.

As of May 1st the latest reports showed that eight states and two possessions already have the law in effect; eight states have enacted legislation; fourteen more have introduced legislation, and two have drafted implementing measures. Since the Mississippi and Virginia legislatures do not meet in 1961, this means that out of forty-eight states which can act, thirty-two are taking steps favorable to the Kerr-Mills legislation.

Meanwhile, partially as a result of long-distance exchanges between Health, Education and Welfare Secretary Abraham A. Ribicoff and American Medical Association spokesmen, Congressional interest in President John F. Kennedy's aid-to-the-aged proposal seems to have revived. Indications as to when a decisive vote may take place are hazy, however. On the one hand, Rep. Wilbur D. Mills (D-Arkansas) is not expected to start hearings before the House Ways and Means committee which he heads for another eight weeks or so. In this case, the battle will probably spill over into the next session of Congress.

REVISE FLUORIDE NEWS SERIES

A newly revised series of newspaper articles on fluoridation is now available from the American Dental Association Bureau of Public Information.

Copies may be obtained by state and local society officials from the Bureau, Central Office, American Dental Association, 222 E. Superior Street, Chicago 2.

The Illinois State Dental Society will have an exhibit in the Exposition Building at the Illinois State Fair in Springfield, August 11th through the 20th.

This exhibit is a cooperative effort between the State Society and the G. V. Black Dental Society of Springfield. It will be directed primarily by the Dental Division of the Illinois State Department of Public Health. The exhibit is entitled "Fluoridation of Water" and is designed for public education on this subject. Literature will be available through the courtesy of our Dental Society—*Robert B. Dormire, D.D.S.*

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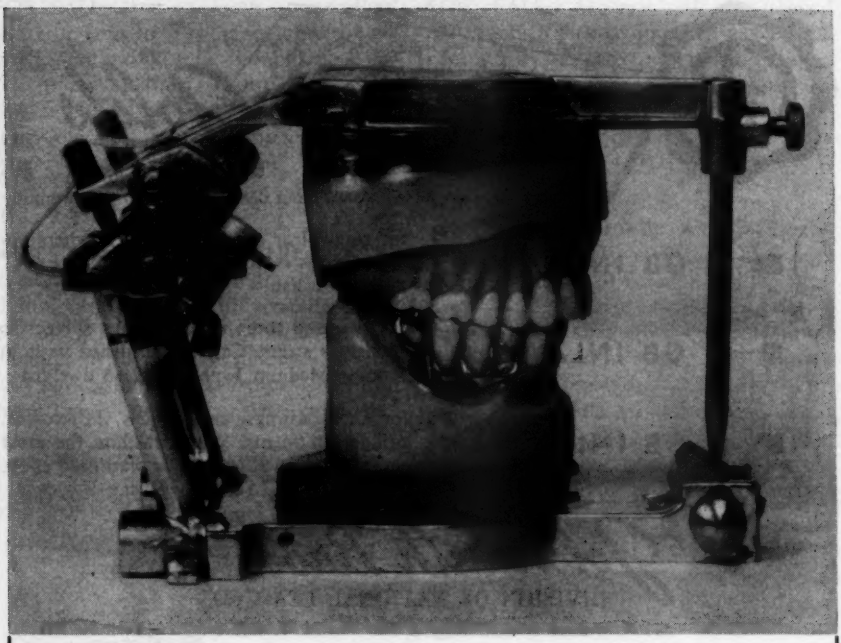

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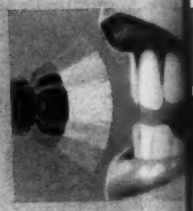

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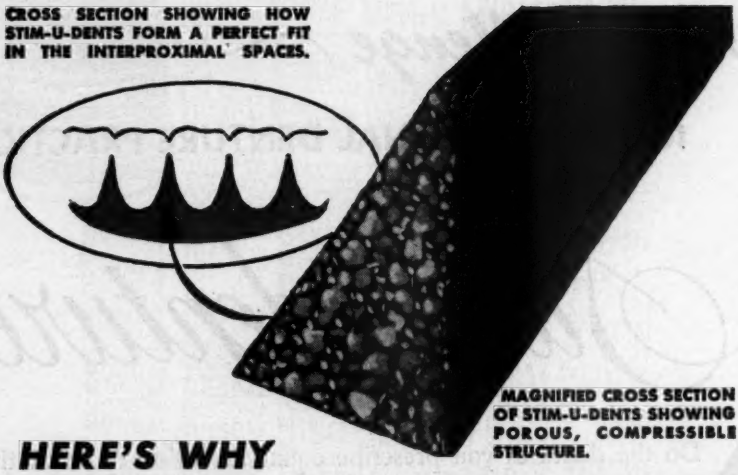

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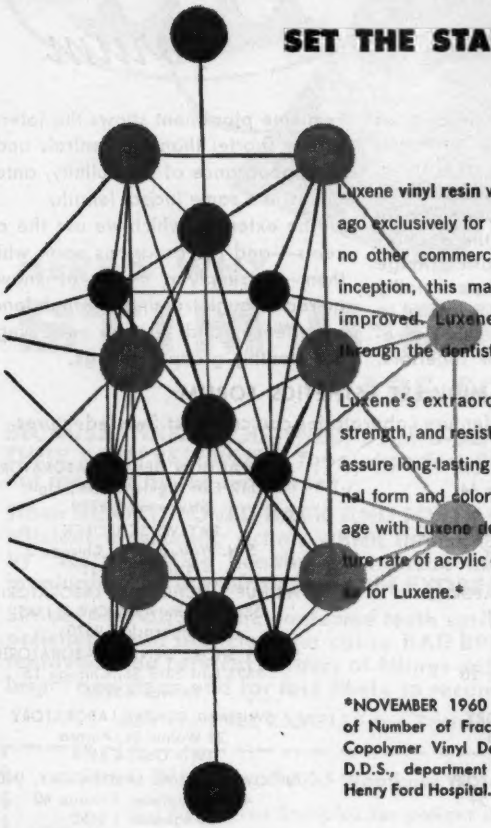

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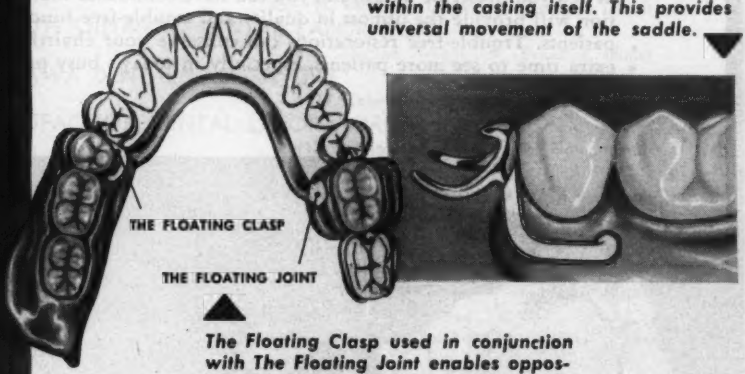

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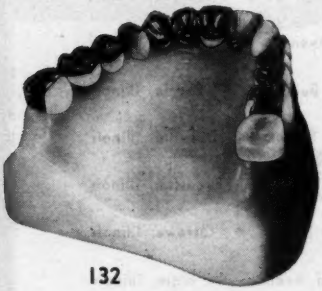

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